

# TWO CHILDREN BURNED TO DEATH

## SPANISH FLYER AND MECHANIC FOUND DEAD

### PILOTS SUCCUMB AFTER STRUGGLING TO ESCAPE DESERT

Attempted To Walk To Amman In Palestine

CAIRO, April 17.—Captain Estevez, the Spanish flier and his mechanic were found today after nearly a week in the desert in the region of Amman, Palestine.

Estevez was found first about forty miles from the spot where his abandoned plane was located several days ago. The mechanic was found soon afterward. Both men were in fairly good condition. Estevez and his mechanic had left a note saying they were walking toward Amman, 120 miles distant.

Estevez and his two fellow pilots were on the Cairo-Bagdad stage of their flight when the former was forced down. Captains Gallaraza and Loriga got through without incident and now are in Agra, India, preparing to fly to Calcutta.

### AGED WOMAN FOUND DEAD ALONG TRACKS

MADISON, O., April 17.—Investigation of the death of Mrs. Amelle Jellerson, 81, whose body was found on the N. Y. C. right of way here, was being pushed today to determine whether murder, suicide or accident was involved.

Mrs. Jellerson left her home in Idaho Thursday to visit her brother, I. W. Lincoln, of Dexter, Maine. She was discovered missing Friday when the train reached Rochester, N. Y. Later her body, partly laid, was found along the tracks near here.

Corner Hausch of Lake County said if a sum of money is missing there would be grounds for believing in a murder theory.

### LYON DEFENSE WILL BE BASED ON DOUBT

NORWALK, O., April 17.—James Lyon's fight to escape death in the chair will be built around the possibility of establishing a doubt as to whether the alleged killer and desperado fired the shots which killed Detective Frank E. McGrath, of Cleveland.

This was made evident today by defense attorney M. O. Rettig who said he would attempt to show, through intimation or direct testimony that when McGrath was killed, general confusion prevailed and several shots were fired by the officers who came to arrest Lyon.

"Any of these shots may have killed McGrath," Rettig declared, adding that he will bring up this point when Lyon's trial is resumed Monday.

The trial was adjourned late yesterday.

### OHIO JAP COLONY RETURNS TO COAST

WILLARD, O., April 17.—The Japanese colony which once worked the 4,000 acre tract of muck land owned by the Community Farms Company of Plymouth, is no more. The members have returned to the Pacific Coast.

Last fall the community stirred up considerable excitement in labor circles when it was said the company "intended to import Japanese for the colony." The stand that labor took and the inclement Ohio weather were given as reasons for their return west.

### START BUSINESS

TIFFIN, O., April 17.—Two small boys looted a fruit stand owned by Frank Mongiolo to start in business for themselves.

Police investigating the theft found the boys had equipped a fruit stand of their own in the rear of neighbor's lot. They were turned over to juvenile court authorities.

### CONGRESS TODAY

SENATE  
Considers Italian debts.  
Considers public buildings bill.

Sub-committee continues hearing drys at "beer hearings".  
Postal committee considers rate reductions.

HOUSE  
Considers private claims bill.  
Veterans committee considers guardianship charges.

Ways and Means committee considers Mills alien property bill.

### LYONS TRIAL OFFICIALS THREATENED IN LETTER

Bloodshed Promised If Slayer Is Sentenced To More Than Two Years—Authorities Seek Motive For Note

NORWALK, O., April 17.—"More blood will flow" if James Lyon, two gun desperado on trial for the murder of Detective Frank McGrath, is sentenced to more than two years imprisonment, an anonymous letter received by authorities today declared.

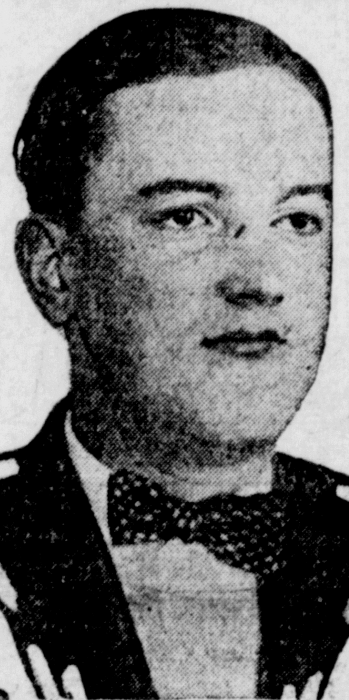
Lyon's trial was adjourned late yesterday until Monday.

The letter was post marked

Cleveland and was dated last Tuesday. It was written on pink paper and was signed "K. K. K." Officials advanced several theories in connection with the missive. One was that it was written by a woman friend of Lyon, another that in some way, it may be connected with Jim's escape from the county jail last Monday and lastly that it was the work of a practical joker.

Neither Sheriff Gregory nor Prosecutor Martin would comment.

### He's Handsome



CHARLES P. MURRAY

Charles P. Murray has been chosen as the handsomest senior at Fordham University. He is also a good athlete, sings tenor and his favorite drink is milk.

### PROPOSE EFFORT TO OPEN MILLS CLOSED BY TEXTILE STRIKE

Sheriff Will Take Charge Of Passaic On Monday

By United Press  
PASSAIC, N. J., April 17.—(UP)—An effort to open the textile mills where workers have been on strike for twelve weeks will be made Monday.

Sheriff Charles W. Morgan of Passaic County, intends to move into this city with 150 deputies and will take command of the 200 regular and special policemen of Passaic.

The mill owners already have gained a legal advantage. The Forstmann and Hufman Company, one of the largest mills in this district, secured a drastic temporary injunction forbidding picketing. Violation of this order will result in arrest on charges of contempt of court. Other mills are likely to seek similar injunctions.

Observers predict the crisis of the strike will be reached Monday. Picketing has been behind most of the trouble in the textile area and Sheriff Morgan is expected to issue orders forbidding the strikers to gather en masse.

Bainbridge Colby, secretary of state under President Wilson, is the latest Liberal to be drawn into the strike situation. He will appear in Paterson as counsel for Albert Weisbord, strike organizer, on a writ of habeas corpus which alleges Weisbord is being illegally detained.

### GOOD ROADS MEET HELD THIS MONTH

COLUMBUS, O., April 17.—A state conference on highway lighting will be held here April 22, under the auspices of the Ohio Good Roads Federation, it was announced here by W. A. Aldorf, the executive secretary of the federation. Upwards of 100 persons are expected to attend, representing civic, commercial and agricultural organizations, good roads associations, safety councils, and other bodies.

### HAYER TAKES STAND TO DEFEND HIMSELF ON MURDER CHARGE

Mail Carrier Says Wife Dropped Dead After Quarrel

By United Press  
NEW PHILADELPHIA, O., April 17.—And a death-like stillness, Harvey Hayer, Newcomerstown mail carrier on trial for the murder of his wife, Kathryn, made his bid for freedom today.

"Kathryn dropped dead," Hayer testified, the jammed courtroom tensely silent.

"We quarrelled and she became enraged. Then she fell to the floor."

Mrs. Hayer's body was found in an abandoned well on the farm home of Hayer's father, several weeks after the woman disappeared. A chain was around her neck and a barrel weighted her body.

"She had been injured a few days before she died and I was afraid I would be held responsible for her death if I didn't dispose of the body," Hayer said, in explaining why his wife's body was placed in the well.

Previous testimony tended to show that Hayer was intimate with Miss Verna Alenbach of Reading, Pa., who with Miss Anna Ficks also of Reading, visited the Hayers at Newcomerstown last summer.

The state contends Hayer "wanted his wife out of the way so he could wed Miss Alenbach."

"The day Kathryn died," Hayer continued, "I returned home and found her ill. I prepared food for her and took it to her bedside. She upbraided me and arose from bed. We quarrelled. She followed me down stairs and threw a shoe at me. I grabbed her and she fell to the floor, dead," he reiterated.

The jury is expected to decide the former mail carrier's fate Monday.

### FIRES WOMAN WHO WAS PROBE CENTER

COLUMBUS, O., April 17.—Mrs. May Van Meter, matron at the Women's Reformatory at Marysville, was discharged by Mrs. Louise Mitterdorf, in charge of the institution.

Mrs. Van Meter was made the center of a probe conducted by Adjutant General Henderson yesterday when she declared Mrs. Lila Merriman, a convict, was the "daughter of Governor Donahay" and accused Henderson of attempting to liberate Mrs. Eva Katherine Kaber, Cleveland, now serving a life term.

According to civil service regulations, Mrs. Van Meter is granted a few days to file any statement before being formally removed from her position.

### FRANC FALLS

LONDON, April 17.—French francs fell to a new low record for all time today on the local course.

Heavy selling drove the franc to 145 1/4 to the pound sterling compared with yesterday's close of 144 1/2. Belgian francs slumped sympathetically.

### Twin Sister of Mrs. Vanderbilt To Rewed; New Mate British Peer



Thelma Morgan Converse, beautiful twin sister of Mrs. Reginald Vanderbilt, whose divorce from James V. Converse became absolute at the beginning of the year, is to marry Lord Marmaduke Furness, distinguished British peer and ship owner, shortly, it is said. He is rated the second richest man in Great Britain. Photos are of Mrs. Converse and Lord Marmaduke.

### LEGALIZING BEER IN ONTARIO FAILURE SAYS TORONTO LAWYER

Beer Dispensers Used Licenses To Shield Sale Of Stronger Drinks Senate Committee Is Told.

By United Press  
WASHINGTON, April 17.—

Legalization of 4.4 per cent beer in Ontario has been a failure, W. E. Raney, Toronto attorney general of Ontario told the senate beer hearing committee today.

"It also has been found that those who took out licenses to sell this beer were using their licenses as shields to sell stronger stuff," he said.

Raney's evidence was adduced by the drys to discredit plans of the

FALSE ESCAPE

WASHINGTON, April 17.—Dr. George T. Harding, of Marion, Ohio, father of the late President, Warren G. Harding, has been granted a pension of \$72 a month, the pension bureau informed Senator Frank B. Willis of Ohio today.

The pension will be retroactive to December 1, 1925 and is based on Dr. Harding's claim of total disability. In a statement accompanying his application, he said, he had lost 20 pounds within the past month.

Dr. Harding was a musician in Company I, 136th Ohio Infantry during the civil war. Until recently he had been in Florida. He is now in Washington, the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Heber Votaw.

### WOMAN ATTORNEY FILES SUIT AGAINST DOHENY OIL INTERESTS

Mexican Company Asks \$97,600,000 From American Concern—Woman Lawyer Not Frightened By Big Suit

NEW YORK, April 17.—Papers are to be served Monday on the E. L. Doheny interests in a \$97,600,000 suit and a 37-year-old woman attorney will direct the attack.

Shirley Moore, the first woman graduate of the Yale law school, on the oil multi-millionaire.

Is counsel for Merinos Viescay Companies, Inc., which charges the Doheny Companies, have operated illegally on Mexican oil lands since 1905.

The land in question is one of the most productive in the entire Mexican oil fields. According to the plaintiff 120,000,000 barrels of oil have been taken from Casino No. 7, the well in dispute.

The Pan American Petroleum and Transport Company, the Mexican Petroleum Company, Huasteca Petroleum Company and the Tam-

ahua Petroleum Company, are defendants in the action which alleges that Geronimo Merinos, a son of Senora Encarnacion Cruz Betancourt, who owned the oil property in 1895 is the heir to Casino No. 7 and that the Company operating the well did not secure proper title through a faculty of attorney.

Miss Moore is not at all frightened at handling what is probably the largest law suit financially that ever has been taken over by a woman. For one thing she already has beaten the Doheny lawyers twice in connection with the suit.

Preparation of the action has taken months of grueling study of Mexican laws passed during the last thirty years have had to be examined steadily.

### THREE KILLED AS TRAIN HITS AUTO ON CROSSING

Machine Stalls On Tracks—Two Other Occupants Injured Before Any Could Leap From Auto.

NORWALK, O., April 17.—The death toll in a grade crossing crash here yesterday was raised to three today with the death of Miss Mann, 35. Miss Mann was fatally injured. Mrs. Walter Vatter, 35, and her son, Russell, were killed and Mrs. Vatter's husband and Charles Weisen-

baugh were seriously injured when their automobile stalled on the crossing in the path of a speeding train.

Vatter and Weisenbaugh still were in a critical condition today. None of the occupants saw the on-coming train in time to leap from the vehicle, according to eye witnesses.

### ATTORNEY DEFENDS MRS. BAKER AGAINST CHARGES IN MYSTERY

Statement Says Woman Has No Knowledge About Husband

By United Press

MANSFIELD, O., April 17.—"Mrs. Francis Crum Baker, wife of Clark C. Baker, mysteriously missing since March 10, is innocent and knows nothing of her husband's whereabouts or whether he is living or dead," Attorney L. H. Beam, her counsel declares in a lengthy statement concerning the details of the case.

In his statement just made public, Beam says Mrs. Baker is guiltless of her husband's strange disappearance and cites the alleged "poison plot farwell letter" as a play in the case. He asserted Mrs. Baker has no facts to give the public which have not been submitted to authorities.

The "farwell letter" which Mrs. Baker received following her husband's disappearance and which was purported to have been written by Clark Baker and which has played a leading role in the investigation, was investigated by her attorneys.

"Mrs. Baker did not write the letter. The author was none other than the man who is missing," he said.

Neither Mrs. Baker nor myself have any criticisms to offer toward any public authority having a part in this investigation. They are told to go as far as they liked. Mrs. Baker feels that their inquiry has been most thorough.

### GRANT DR. HARDING PENSION OF \$72

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### THINK FUGITIVE CONVICTS CAUGHT

BUFFALO, N. Y., April 17.—Three men believed to be fugitives from the state penitentiary at Nashville, Tenn., were under arrest here today.

They were William Adams, 28, New York; Charles O'Neill, 35, and Edward Farnum, 22, Toledo, Ohio.

The men were picked up in a stolen car by the police automobile squad. The car was later identified as the property of C. L. Costello, Covington, Ky. It was stolen from that city April 11.

The trio was said to have escaped jail at Nashville with thirteen other prisoners after overpowering several guards on April 9.

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### Wins Primary



COL. FRANK L. SMITH

Colonel Frank L. Smith, opponent of the World Court, is reported to have won the Republican primary nomination for United States Senator in Illinois from Senator William B. McKinley, by a large majority.

### "MYSTERY" WOMAN CLEARED OF PART IN PHYSICIAN MURDER

Visited Office As Patient Woman Tells Police

By United Press

MORGANTOWN, W. Va., April 17.—Mrs. Virginia Bowers, 29, the "mystery woman" wanted in connection with the slaying of Dr. William B. Borror, who was stabbed to death in his office here Thursday night, has been cleared of implication in the murder.

Police said today that Mrs. Bowers, who had appeared several times at Dr. Borror's office had shown her visits were purely of professional nature. She was released.

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### JUDGE ALLEN MAKES CANDIDACY KNOWN

CLEVELAND, April 17.—The long heralded candidacy of Justice Florence Allen of the Supreme Court for the United States senate became a reality today with Miss Allen's formal announcement that she will join the Democratic race.

Miss Allen formally announced her candidacy, in addressing the Cuyahoga County Women's Democratic clubs here. Two other Clevelanders, Cyrus Locher, state director of commerce and F. F. Gentach, an attorney, will oppose Miss Allen for the nomination.

HIRE ENGINEER

LANCASTER, O., April 17.—E. A. Lawrence, Columbus engineer, has been engaged by County Commissioners to make the survey and estimate of costs of the sanitary sewer to be constructed on the Fairfield side of Buckeye Lake.

SALE DATES RESERVED.  
Apr. 22.—Glen Weikert.

### HOME DESTROYED BY BLAZE WHEN MOTHER LEAVES ON ERRAND

Older Child Left In Charge Watches Holocaust

BROOKFIELD, Trumbull County, O., April 17.—While their frantic mother stood by helpless, Alice May Swegger, 2, and Robert, her nine-months-old brother, were burned to death today when fire destroyed the Swegger home here.

Mrs. Swegger had left the child, drep with their sister, Lucy, 4, while she went on an errand. Sue returned to find the house in flames and little Lucy, standing watching the blaze.

"I asked Alice to come out with me but she wouldn't," Lucy told her mother.

Robert, the baby was asleep in his crib when the fire broke out. Within fifteen minutes, the house, a three room bungalow had been razed.

Cause of the blaze has not been determined.

### DAYTON WOMAN WAS VICTIM OF ROBBERY

BALTIMORE, Md., April 17.—Mrs. Caroline Miller, of Dayton, Ohio, passenger on the Allegheny, Merchants and Miners liner, was robbed of \$200 in cash and \$800 in jewelry during the night, she reported to police when the ship docked today.

The passenger, bound from Florida to Baltimore informed police the valuables were stolen by a man who entered her stateroom.

On information concerning the burglary, police arrested Clyde Cason, quartermaster of the ship who, according to police, confessed the robbery and turned over most of the loot which had been hidden.

Jewelry worth \$150 was thrown overboard by Cason when he disposed of the loot in which the money and jewelry had been placed, the police said.

Cason was held in \$1,000 bail for grand jury action.

### WOMEN GATHER TO PROTEST STRIKES

LONDON, April 17.—Thousands of women were pouring into London today by special train and bus to participate in the world's first housewives "strike against strikes."

It was estimated that beds will not be made and dinners will not be cooked in 20,000 British homes today, because the wives were in London, parading with bands in an effort to show the real sufferers from strikes and labor troubles of all kinds are women and children.

The housewives parade started at 2 p. m. after slight delay in marshaling the 25,000 women who turned out for it. Hundreds of mounted and foot police guarded the line of march to prevent disorder. Not since the days of militant suffragettes has London seen so impressive a gathering of women.

### BOMB PLANTED BUT FAILS TO EXPLODE

CLEVELAND, O., April 17.—A man known to have a police record and an intimate knowledge of high explosives, is suspected of having planted a bomb in the center of the market district here.

The bomb was found late Friday afternoon in the Fred Schwartzberger Fish Company building by William H. Smith, an employee. Schwartzberger said he had no trouble and had no known enemies.

The bomb which consisted of 13 1/2 sticks of dynamite buried in a cement covering would have broken every window in the downtown district and caused a large loss of life, according to police.

Three fuses attached to the bomb had burned out when they reached the cement covering.

### WILL REOPEN LAKE CARGO COAL CASE

WASHINGTON, April 17.—The Interstate Commerce Commission today decided to reopen the Lake Cargo Coal case to receive complaints of Western Pennsylvania and Ohio producers and carriers.

West Virginia operators and coal carrying railroads opposed a re-hearing. They will be given an opportunity to answer complaints that the present rates in the lake coal traffic are discriminatory.

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# **FAVORS NEWSPAPER ADVERTISING FIRM STATES IN TRIBUTE**

Tribute to newspaper advertising as an important link in its success is paid by the Swift Specific Co., Atlanta, Ga., manufacturers of the S. S. S. remedy, in a souvenir booklet issued as a feature of its celebration of its one-hundredth anniversary.

The centennial booklet, the company writes: "A comprehensive test of all recognized forms of advertising exploitation, extending back to the crude methods of nearly one hundred years ago, has convinced the proprietors of S. S. S. that one medium alone now serves the requirements best—the newspaper."

The relations of S. S. S. and the newspapers are ideal. From the beginning those relations have been based on mutual understanding and a community of interest; a firm foundation of reciprocity. On file in the home office of S. S. S. are literally shelves of letters from newspaper men expressing a warm and friendly regard for the firm and its methods.

"But it is S. S. S. which now should express appreciation and gratitude to a list of 4,430 American newspapers which have displayed so sympathetic and warmly personal a concern in giving S. S. S. business every proper consideration, and every S. S. S. advertisement a position as good as may be warranted by the circumstances and the quick exigencies of the high pressure newspaper day."

## **REAL ESTATE**

Homer Stewart to Ellen Stewart property in Fairfield Village, \$1.00. The Visiting Nurses' Association to Anna B. Gorman, property in Sugar Creek Twp., \$1.00.

Minnie G. Kennedy and T. J. Kennedy to Charles Griesbaum, city property, \$1.00.

Harry Thomas to Stella M. Thomas, property in Sugar Creek Twp., \$1.00.

Herbert F. Corry, Fred G. Corry, Mabel E. Binning, Riley J. Corry, to Ada Allie, property in Yellow Springs Village, \$1.00.

Foster H. G. Bell and Martha B. Bell to Daniel Lang, property in Byron, \$1.00.

Henry Toms to Silas E. Charles, property in Sugar Creek Twp., \$1.00. John M. Davidson to J. H. Jones, city property, \$1.00.

Eliza A. Smith to Jennie T. Davis, property in New Jasper Twp., \$1.00. W. J. Pennewit and Melissa Pennewit to Charles Pennewit and Eva May Pennewit, property in Sugar Creek Twp., \$1.00.

Charles S. Beaver to Ella Thomas, property in Fairfield Village, \$1.00. Pearl M. Bruney, Anna Hyde

Brune, Charles W. E. Thompson, Estelle Hyde Thompson, Margaret Hyde to Mary Koogler Carlisle, property in Yellow Springs Village, \$1.00.

Henry Smith and Mary Smith to Benjamin B. Riley, city property, \$1.00.

Grace Madden and D. K. Wolf to Albert Floyd Dorrell and Mary Eleanor Dorrell, city property, \$1.00.

The International Development Co., to John F. and Marie C. Nelcamp, Lizzie Kate Polhaus, Evelyn Bohl, Joseph Petrokas, Tillie Flick, Charles E. and Ida B. Purcell, William H. and Alice Paul, Olga Brock, Clara J. Warrington and George W. Conrad, Jr., property in Fairfield Heights, \$1.00.

Earl W. Burrows to R. O. Routzong to the Osborn Removal Co., property in Osborn Village, \$1.00.

Frank W. Dodds to William and Kate Kauffman city property, \$1.00.

# **BOMBING PLANE AT WRIGHT AIR FIELD FOR AIR MANEUVERS**

Consignment of twelve NDS-1 bombardment planes from Langley field, Virginia, was expected to arrive at Wright field, Saturday, the forerunners of more than forty planes expected to participate in the air force maneuvers at the field beginning Monday and continuing to May 3 under supervision of the war department.

Langley field planes hopped off Friday and spent the night at Uniontown, Pa., Wilbur Wright officials learned.

Second group of PW pursuit planes were expected Saturday from Selfridge field, Mount Clemens, Mich., and twelve Douglas O-2 attack planes are on the way from Kelly Field, Texas.

The entire group is due by Monday. Upon arrival, they will be mobilized as a brigade for purposes of maneuvering. War-time mobilization will prevail during the activities. Planes will be tested relative to the war plans division of the general staff of the army.

Movements will be under direction of General James E. Fechet, assistant chief of the army air service, who is expected at the field Monday.

**EAST END NEWS**  
MRS. JAMES HARRIS  
Correspondent  
TEL. 91-R

**ST. JOHN'S A. M. E. CHURCH**  
Rev. R. E. Hutchison, Pastor  
The "Home Department" and teachers meeting of the Sunday School met Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Pinkie Page, E.

Church St. Rev. E. W. Hester was present and took an active part in the discussions. Mrs. Mattie Price, H. D. Supl.

The social given by Mrs. Hattie Corbin, club leader of number four, at her home Thursday evening was well attended and a success. Proceeds for St. John's Church.

The missionary quilt is being quilted at the home of Mrs. Victoria Lane, E. Church St.

Sunday will be a high day with us. The pastor has prepared a special sermon to be delivered at the morning service. Subject, "Sin, Its Origin and Results." You will not regret having heard this sermon.

12:30 p. m., Sunday School. Mr. Wm. S. Rogers, the superintendent will give a special talk on the "Origin of Sin." Special feature, solo, Rev. Hutchison.

6:30 p. m., A. C. E. League and program with Miss Marjorie Cockran in charge. The league is now one of the leading departments of our church for both young and old people. Mrs. Eunice Cross, president.

7:30 p. m., praise service and preaching by the pastor. Subject, "Wickedness In the Last Days Foretold." Come and worship with us.

# **FIVE INJURED IN AUTO ACCIDENT**

COLUMBUS, O., April 17.—Automobile accidents resulted in injuries to three children and two men here. Two boys, one aged six and the other three were victims of passing automobiles, while a third, a girl aged 6 was struck by another car. Two men suffered bruises when their machines crashed into sidewalks, one of the cars hitting a telephone pole.

## **"CAP" STUBBS—Gran'ma Goes To Market**



By EDWINA

# **Trade In Xenia**

"Buy In Xenia Where You Will Get More For Your Dollar."

## **COMPARISONS**

A delegation of British workmen, sent to this country by the London Daily Mail, got an insight into American industry in a hurried inspection of New York City. The Englishmen visited the Hell Gate plant of the United Electric Light and Power Co., most modern and largest electric generation plant in America.

Then they inspected the largest ice plant in the world under one roof, the Hygeia Ice Mfg. Co.; visited the Neptune Meter Co., and watched American workmen and engineers at work on the East River station of the New York Edison Co., which will be the greatest power plant on earth when completed.

Later the delegation went through the plant of the National Biscuit Co., the garment center and one of the morning newspapers. The party was in charge of a representative of the Daily Mail and of the pattern maker's association.

It would have probably been just as interesting for these workmen, to have had them visit the small cities of the great United States. For while their beloved London vies with New York and other metropolises in industrial achievements, small cities on the island do not compare with those in this country.

If the delegation had come to Xenia it would have found achievements, public utilities and conveniences that only larger centers in the Old World are able to boast of. Xenia would have shown them fifteen miles of paved streets, covering practically every much-used thoroughfare in the city. Xenia would have shown them a municipally operated water department, furnishing good water at a minimum of cost and fast pay-off its obligations. It would have shown the visitors paved roads leading from the city, adequate utilities, unequalled transportation facilities, beautiful and modern homes, practically all equipped with bath rooms and other conveniences still uncommon in England and a large percentage of them connected by telephone.

It would have shown them a happy, thriving, peaceful and industrious community, excellent schools, and good church edifices. It would have proved to them that although civilization here is new as compared with England, its advance has been more rapid.

Workmen, they would have learned, live better and enjoy the luxuries and conveniences common associated with only the rich in Europe. But perhaps it would be wiser to take a delegation of Xenia people to some city of equal size in England.

Frequently people do not appreciate their home town and it is only by actually seeing and making comparisons, that many people can be taught to believe that they should be proud of the community in which they live.

## **SAND-GRAVEL ARE TO BE CONSIDERED**

The minute you begin to think of building your home you will need to think of sand and gravel. For the most important factor in the entire structure is the foundation, which must be of the best, and to insure this, it's materials must be superior.

Sand and gravel furnished by the Xenia Sand and Gravel Co., is of excellent quality, as builders will testify. Their fine grade can be depended on for every type of construction work in which they are used.

Spring is "building time" for many and the consideration of proper materials faces everyone who plans work of this type.

## **BYERS EXCHANGES YOUR FURNITURE**

Almost every home-furnishing magazine will give you ideas for using unusual and old-fashioned pieces of furniture. Smart magazines are full of clever ways of arranging quaint articles of furniture to combine comfort with beauty and distinction.

Xenians can buy many pieces at the Byers Second-hand Shop, N. King St., which with little refinishing will add the right note of usefulness to a room. Mr. Byers will also buy your old, discarded furniture for reasonable prices. His shop is an exchange for furniture and what may be of little value to one home will be just what someone else is looking for.

## **BEST OF SERVICE AT GORDON GARAGE**

Gordon Bros. garage, 30-32 East Second St., is the official garage for the Greene County Auto Club. Members and non-members of the club alike will be given prompt, efficient and courteous service twenty four hours a day anywhere in the county by Gordon Bros.

They also maintain a night force of mechanics to render any service necessary to repair your car and you can rest assured it will be ready for you in the morning. Gordon Bros. believe in the slogan "Trade In Xenia" and to maintain this point they operate several departments in connection with the garage, chief of which is the repair department where any make of car receives the best attention.

## **McINTIRE WANTS YOUR TIRE BUSINESS**

XENIA VULCANIZING CO., East Main St.

## **ZELLA BUCK**

Permanent Wave Price \$10  
Work done in your home, Phone for appointment. Phone 980-R.

## **EICHMAN & MILLER**

Everything Electrical  
52 West Main  
Phone 652 Xenia, Ohio.

**XENIA SAND AND GRAVEL CO.**  
R. W. HORNEY  
West Second Street at End of Pavement, Tel. 429 R 1  
For Sand, Gravel and Cement Block of any kind, phone me or drive out and load up. I can show you why its cheaper and more satisfactory to deal with original manufacturer and producer.

**HARRY R. JORDAN**  
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# Society Casting Off Shackles Of King Winter To Respond To Lure Of Spring

Social events are now oftentimes looked on by women as they do their clothes—the drab, dull-colored affairs of Winter are cast aside for more vivid coloring in Spring.

Just as the young man's fancy is popularly supposed to turn to love, the hearts and minds of women gaily turn to clothes and social functions. Early days of the Spring are given a more quiet tone during Lent but after the first brisk winds and uncertain weather of March and April, spirits begin to brighten and interesting plans are laid.

Few have been the real Spring days so far this year but women have impatiently awaited the definite arrival of the warmer season and have gone ahead with spirited plans. True, the affairs have not been on an elaborate stage, but have been marked by many interesting gatherings and show a renewed awakening in more colorful events.

Winter is the club's season and members of various societies have obtained keen enjoyment from regular gatherings and the discussion of literature, business, charity, history and philanthropy. The severeness of the Winter did not cool the ardor of club members and their meetings lent much to keeping the social spirit going. These same club women are now anxiously awaiting the arrival of the time when they can spend several hours a week on the golf course, at teas, luncheons and dinners. The first hint of warm sunshine and inviting breezes seems to suggest to every true feminine heart the approach of the time when she can wear fetching sport clothes, attractive afternoon and evening frocks. Women feel like the lowly cocoon in emerging from their shell of furs and dark-colored winter clothing to the pastel and vivid shades that herald Spring and Summer.

Thoughts of younger girls are turning to school frocks of lighter shades and graduation dresses are a problem to many. The shops are now beginning to display many lovely things for the graduate and for the young girls who appreciate the beauty of lighter wearing apparel.

The time is approaching when students will arrive home from school. With their advance, social affairs will live up and the dance floor will be thrown open more often and things will generally be more "peppy."

With the return of a number of Xenians, who spent the winter season in the South, West and other far-off points, the list of people who plan social affairs regularly has been augmented to its natural status. After spending several months in warmer climes their home-coming has been followed by eager plans for the Spring and Summer.

**TRINITY SOCIETY AT AULTMAN HOME**

Mrs. George Street led members of the Women's Home Missionary Society, Trinity M. E. Church, in the study of home mission problems when the society met at the home of Mrs. H. C. Aultman, N. Detroit St., Friday afternoon.

Twenty members attended and several took part in the program. Mrs. Richard Bennington favored the society with a vocal solo. Mrs. Clinton Spahr, of Missouri, was a guest at the meeting.

Mrs. Aultman was assisted by Mrs. F. C. Bishop, and Mrs. George Street.

**CAST CELEBRATES SUCCESS WITH PARTY.**

Giving vent to their elation over the success of "The White-Headed Boy" Central High School senior held a celebration, Friday evening, class play, members of the cast.

The party was first entertained by Miss Barbara Little, "leading lady" of the piece at her home on N. King St. Here, dancing was enjoyed and supper served.

The crowd then adjourned to the Garfield cottage, along the Little Miami River where the remainder of the night was spent and breakfast served. Miss Roxie Channel and Miss Emily Lewis chaperoned the party.

**P. T. A. SOCIAL WELL ATTENDED**

The "measuring social" held by Spring High P. T. A. Friday evening at the school, was well attended. The evening's program consisted of music and a play given by several members of the association, which was well received.

Refreshments were served following the program.

Rehearsal for degree work will be held by Wright Council, R. and S. M., Monday night at 7 o'clock at Masonic Temple.

Superintendent C. A. Waltz, former head of Xenia City Schools, now of Greenville, O., with Mrs. Waltz has been visiting local friends. Superintendent Waltz returned to Greenville Friday night, Mrs. Waltz remaining to spend the week end with Superintendent and Mrs. H. C. Aultman.

Mrs. Jack Colgan, Wilbur Wright Field, will entertain with five tables of bridge Tuesday evening, honoring Miss Dunn, of Canada, sister of Mrs. Carl P. Green.

Triumph Temple, No. 467, Pythian Sisters will meet at the lodge hall, Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Important business will be transacted at the home of Mrs. E. P. Hamlin, W. Third St., when McGervy Class, Trinity M. E. Church meets Monday evening, April 19.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard M. Considine announce the birth of an eight pound son at their home, 110 East Third St., Friday morning. Mrs. Considine was formerly Miss Bessie Purtee.

Regular meeting of Daughters of Veterans will be held at Post Hall, Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Dr. Charles Francis Potter, of Antioch College, Yellow Springs, will make an address at 11 a. m. Sunday in the assembly room of the college. It is announced. His subject will be "Cain, A Study in Folk Lore and Morality." A song service will be held at 7 o'clock in the evening.

Miss Marie Hagler, of the O. S. and S. O. Home, is spending the week end with friends in Washington, D. C.

Miss Dorothy Zell, W. Market St., will spend the week end in Wilmington, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Swartz and son, Gene and Mr. and Mrs. Brice Linhart, will spend Sunday in Troy with relatives.

Mrs. Clinton Spahr, Skidmore, Mo., arrived Tuesday to spend the summer with Dr. and Mrs. D. E. Spahr, of the Springfield Pike. Mrs. Spahr has been spending the winter in Tampa, Fla., and came to Xenia from the South.

Mrs. George Pillsbury, chairman, assisted by Mrs. Isaac Colp, Mrs. A. J. Gastiger and Miss Louise Gastiger, will be hostesses when American Legion Auxiliary meets Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock, in Legion Headquarters, Kingsbury Building.

Miss Bessie Border, Richmond, Ind., and Miss Delite Hollett, Kokomo, Ind., are the weekend guests of Miss Fannie K. Haynes, W. Church St. They attended the Central senior class play Friday evening.

# HE IS COUNTY COMMISSIONER'S SON



This sturdy youngster is Joseph E. Eavey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Eavey, Wilmington Pike.

# "MATRIMONIAL VACATION," NEW VIOLET DARE STORY STARTS NOW

Violet Dare, whose charming serial stories have attracted a wide following among readers of this newspaper, has chosen a unique subject for her newest story, which starts in this paper today.

"My Matrimonial Vacation" is the title of the new story, first installment of which will be found on page eight of today's paper, and it is an entrancing presentment of adventures in and out of matrimony.

Miss Dare, who has a happy faculty in plot choice, in that she chooses timely and important subjects of domestic existence which have not been treated upon in story form before, has woven a novel here that will not only pass as entertaining reading but will inspire serious thought.

Convinced that her absent husband no longer loves her, the heroine of "My Matrimonial Vacation" takes advantage of the furlough in wedded life, to adopt a singular cynical view of life and to wreak her vengeance on men in general because her own romance has been disappointing.

The author has won considerable applause not only on her uncanny ability to lay plots close to real life but because she has a particularly adroit method of handling these plots. This paper believes its many readers will find the new story one of her best. It is illustrated by Margeurite Neal.

Edward Strain, former Xenian, died at his home in Logan, O., Friday night, relatives here learned Saturday. Death was caused by paralysis, from which Mr. Strain has suffered some time.

The Strain family moved from Xenia several years ago after residing here some time. Besides his widow, who was before marriage Miss Rosa John, this city, Mr. Strain leaves one son, Charles Strain, Logan, O., and three daughters, Mrs. Gertrude Risley, Logan; Mrs. Luella Lane, Columbus and Mrs. Edna Rogers, Columbus.

Remains were taken to Columbus to the home of Mr. Strain's daughter, Mrs. Frances Lane, where funeral services will be held Monday.

**FARM RELIEF BILL WILL BE PASSED**

WASHINGTON, April 17.—Administration action to pass a farm relief bill—the first positive step of this session of congress—was taken today when Rep. Tilson, Connecticut, Republican house leader predicted after a conference with President Coolidge that the Tine her farm relief bill would be passed.

Tilson, whose word in determining the activities of the house majority is deemed law, said it was not probable that any other legislation could be enacted.

The Tineher bill provides a revolving relief fund for handling farm surpluses and an "omnibus" farm board with wide powers in handling agriculture problems.

# Petty Personal Dislikes Often Crop Out In Wills Court Attaches Declare

That a man may live his full three score and ten years without revealing the inmost secrets of his nature, but when he dies these concealed characteristics are almost sure to come to light, is the opinion of Deputy Probate Judge Allegra E. Hawes.

Miss Hawes handles many estates and wills every year. In these wills, she finds, are usually expressed the little dislikes, the trivial peculiarities and perhaps the petty animosities of a whole life time.

"I imagine," she stated, "that a great many of the people who die leave wills. Making a will is a simple matter and people are being educated to the practice."

Yet sometimes, it is found, they fail to make a will for a definite reason. According to the law, if a man dies intestate, his property is disposed of by law. Heirs have no chance to quarrel.

A will on the other hand, the court finds, is likely to cause trouble among those whose names are included or those whose names are omitted. Some people, therefore, to avoid trouble, simply neglect to make a will.

"Only a comparatively small portion of all wills are contested and over a period of the past ten years, I do not know of more than about two dozen," declared Miss Hawes.

Sometimes people do queer things in their wills, according to the deputy probate judge. This has always been a favorite device of the fiction writer, and some of the testator's nature," declares Miss Hawes. One will of my experience showed the maker, a woman, valued small trinkets. She bequeathed certain silver teaspoons, silver knives and forks, the old family Bible and other little, individual things such as pictures to certain relatives. Markings on the silverware were even described to complete identification.

Often relatives, blissfully ignorant of the true feelings of one of their family, are shocked and surprised by the will he leaves. They say "He must not have been in his right mind. He would never have done that." But usually the man was in his right mind. He was merely revealing long-concealed feelings in his last act on earth. A will offers a splendid opportunity for safely paying off a grudge against some relative, but this type has not come to my attention.

Recently a Texas woman left her old horse and buggy to the town for the use of the children. A woman in New England left an estate totalling millions of dollars for the founding of a home for



# The Theatre

Never before, to our knowledge, has the uncater public, the publicity men and the hard-shelled screen reviewers been so unanimous in the choice of a "find" as in the case of Dolores Costello.

The far-sightedness of Warner Bros. has been a source of regret to other producers, who failed to see the value of this young actress. It is said one company negligently let her literally slip through their fingers after making a few pictures and she was quickly contracted by Warner Bros.

This reviewer is particularly interested in Miss Costello, since we are a devotee of her father, Maurice Costello, one of the most polished actors in the film firmament of earlier years. His ability lent much to making early efforts of Vitaphone live through the years. He is still seen in minor roles but he can rest content with the knowledge that his laurels have been passed on to his charming daughter.

Miss Costello has been unanimously acclaimed the "newest and brightest star in the movie heavens." "Never before has a screen player been as spontaneously lifted to the pedestal of stardom as this beautiful and fascinating daughter of Maurice Costello, famous star of the old Vitaphone days," enthuses one reviewer.

Unfortunately, none of Miss Costello's pictures have appeared in Xenia and we are anxiously awaiting their release here. Her successes include "The Sea Beast" with John Barrymore, "The Little Irish Girl" and "The Bride of the Storm." In the pictures in which she has appeared in important roles, leading critics throughout the country singled her out for the most lavish praise.

She has built up a following of admirers overnight. And her popularity is not because she is "a daughter of her father" but because of her own, natural, ability, we think.

# REQUESTS TRANSFER OF DAMAGE ACTION TO FEDERAL COURTS

Application has been filed in Common Pleas Court by Matthews and Matthews law firm, to have the \$50,000 damage suit of Mrs. Helen Thorne, as administratrix of the estate of Floyd Thorne, deceased against the Pennsylvania Railroad Co., transferred to United States District Court of Southern Ohio at Dayton.

Application has not been submitted to Common Pleas Judge R. L. Gowdy.

Move of the defense counsel is based on the law under which all actions for more than \$3,000 may be transferred to federal court if either party is a non-resident.

Pennsylvania Railroad Co. is considered a non-resident and the case will probably not go to trial in Greene County.

Suit of Mrs. Thorne, widow of Floyd Thorne, is a sequel to a grade crossing accident at Selma January 23 in which Thorne was almost instantly killed when the truck he was driving was struck by a west-bound train. Railroad is charged with negligence and carelessness. C. L. Darlington and F. L. Johnson are attorneys for the plaintiff.

# REPEAT CLASS PLAY FOR BIG AUDIENCE

"The White-Headed Boy," presented by the senior class of Central High School as its class play, pleased a large-sized audience for the second time Friday night.

Typical Irish characters were again well portrayed by the cast. The play had a strong plot and called for strong acting. Its portrayal left nothing to be desired and was a credit to the direction of Miss Jean B. Elwell.

Prologue to the opening act was written by the Misses Bertha Hyman and Mary Wilson. Class song in which the entire cast joined in singing after the play was written by Miss Bertha Hyman.

# WILBERFORCE WINS FROM DEFIANCE IN LAST MINUTE RALLY

Sensational stick work by "Wu Fang" Ward, in the final two innings turned the tide and enabled Wilberforce University to register a 7 to 6 victory over Defiance College its second diamond victory of the season Friday afternoon at Wilberforce.

With his teammates trailing 5 to 2 as the contest entered the last half of the eighth inning, Ward slammed a circuit club bringing in two runners ahead of him.

Defiance went out in front once more by tallying another run in the ninth inning but Ward again came to the rescue and hit his second extra base smash of the game. The hit scored one runner and the Wilberforce star sprinted home with the winning run when a Defiance gardner overthrew third base in a frantic attempt to cut off the runner.

Game was uninteresting in the early innings with the colored nine almost helpless at bat but the complexity of the contest was charged in the final frames by Ward's wonderful exhibition.

# STARTS SENTENCE

Facing twenty days in the County Jail upon a conviction several months ago for recording wagers on race horses, Bruce Leveck, Jamestown, entered upon his sentence Friday.

Albert Smith, convicted of the same charge, began a similar sentence the previous day.

# CINCINNATI PIKE BIDS CANCELLED

Bidding on the remodeling work of a stretch of 673 mile of the Columbus and Cincinnati Pike through Springfield Valley, scheduled to be opened by the state highway department Friday, was cancelled according to Columbus dispatches.

No reason for the cancellation has been given and County Commissioners are without information on the subject. No date for re-opening of bids has been set.

Contracts for improvement of the remaining eight miles of the road from the Xenia corporation line to the Warren County line have already been let and work begun.

Bids on the Springfield Valley stretch are expected to be received soon and the contract let within ten days later as the work must be completed by July.

# Costumes Worn At Tea Time



The designer of this exotic costume describes it as a "pyjama tea gown." The material in bright tomato tint with plentiful gold edgings is quite brilliant.

# MAYOR'S COURT

**FIVE ARE FINED**

Five motorists arrested by Motorcycle Policemen Peter Shagin Friday and Saturday, four charged with violation of the speed law, and one with driving past the red light of the automatic traffic regulating device at Main and Detroit Sts., were assessed fines and costs by Mayor John Prugh.

D. H. Vanwinkle, Washington C. H., was fined \$10 and costs, and Carl Foust, A. K. Stewart and J. A. Winters were each fined \$5 and costs for speeding by the mayor. Frank P. Hastings was given a fine of \$1 and costs for failing to observe the red light.

# COMING EVENTS BRIEFLY TOLD

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- TUESDAY**  
K. of C.  
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Church Prayer Meets.  
J. O. U. A. M.  
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Moore.  
THURSDAY  
Red Men.  
P. of X. D. of A.  
Rebekahs.  
K. C. C.
- FRIDAY**  
Eagles.  
Maccabees.  
Royal Neighs.
- SAFE DYNAMITED**
- COLUMBUS, O., April 17.—Bandits dynamited the safe in the National Biscuit Co. offices here during the night and escaped with \$1,000 it was discovered today.
- JUDGE SELECTED**
- JACKSON, O., April 17.—Miss Kate M. Camins, of Portsmouth, has been selected to adjudicate the drawing and penmanship for the Elstodoff, which is to be held at Jackson this year on October 1.

# THE GUMPS—YOUTH MUST BE SERVED



# EDITORIAL

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## HOW TROUBLE STARTS

IT IS easy to understand the shooting of Mussolini, but not so easy to understand how things like that spread and become internationally serious.

Aside from the fact that Mussolini has been a strong performer, exceedingly dictatorial, free and fearless in the use of his power—and aside from all that this conduct means in the stirring up of prejudices and animosities which can produce explosions, there is another explanation of the shooting.

The woman who did the shooting was, apparently, "off balance," a sensation hunter in the beginning, a baiter of policemen and magistrates, a follower of crusades, and, finally, a disturbed mentality capable of homicide if the mental and nervous strain were strong enough.

Similar things have happened in this country. But it is important to note that the last conspicuous happening of his kind in Europe cost the world four years of war, and a disturbance which will not be settled for generations to come.

It is scarcely thinkable that an adjustment by England for any crime committed by an English subject could fail to settle all reasonable demands of morality and justice. Respect for law is too strong in England to permit any condonation of violation of the law by English hands elsewhere. So the situation is not quite parallel to that of Sarajevo in 1914, but it is well to remember that from a fool's shot at a ruler, in 1914, came the death of millions, and the money sacrifice of billions—all because of lack of proportion and sense of values in the backgrounds against which the disturbance echoed.

## CATS AND DOGS

A zoologist has observed that cats are just as intelligent as dogs, but flatter their human masters less, so attract less attention and are considered not as intelligent as their ancient canine enemies. Cats, he says, care only for places; to persons they are different. With dogs the person and not the place is the thing.

As a generalization there may be some truth in this, but exceptions on both sides are readily recalled. There are obsequious cats and utterly aloof felines and not all dogs are friendly and affectionate.

The cat is far less ready to forget and forgive unkind or brutal treatment than are most dogs, but that, while it may not be exactly noble, is not a sign of stupidity.

From the human point of view the cat's worst trait is her incurable yearning to catch and kill birds, but then there is the dog's irresistible impulse to chew cat fur. Some dogs have utilitarian value. Cats serve mankind by protecting his property and stores from rodents. Birds, as the natural enemy of insects and other pests, are indispensable to man.

Many more animal generations of regular feeding from the hand of man will be necessary to stifle the cat's hunger for the bird and the dog's hunger for the cat.

## LUTHER BURBANK

THE world is distinctly poorer today because of the loss of Luther Burbank.

Not only has he left us many wonderful and practical "inventions" in the plant world but his life should be a real inspiration to others.

Practically all his work was done in a field which theoretically did not exist at the time of his birth. The world said there are just so many kind of plants and that's all there is to it. Luther Burbank literally opened a new field of useful endeavor, a field of almost unlimited possibilities it seems.

The world already owes much to him and coming generations will increase the debt.

## Another California Giant Passes



## 1906-Twenty Years Ago-1926

A report has been received of a severe earthquake which wrecked many buildings in San Francisco this morning.

Street committee of city council—Messrs. Arbogast Binder, Hawkins, Conklin, and Alexander, City Engineer G. A. McKay and Charles Darlington went to Richmond, Ind. to probe the matter of asphalt paving.

Mr. Richard Conrad, owner

of Fargo Mineral Springs plant, this city, and eight other establishments of this kind, was in Xenia arranging for summer business.

Fritz Haller, employed at the shoe factory, is disabled owing to a severe injury to one of his fingers received while operating some of the machinery.

Mr. Arthur Kelly returned to Cleveland after a short visit in Xenia.

## Just Folks

BY EDGAR A. GUEST

### THRILLS

I hear some pleasure-seeker say: "I haven't had a thrill today." So much of late the word is used. By many a careless lip abused. A thrill is only born of drink. That some, I fear, begin to think Or bordering so close to sin That dizzy heads must topple in.

Now thrills there are of various kinds To suit the many sorts of minds. And one can feel his pulses beat With pleasure gloriously sweet. For life is not so flat and tame That thrills must only come from shame. For many a thrill of splendor From beautiful and lovely things springs.

I've felt my pulses thrill to see The blossoms on an apple tree; The martins back once more to take The house I've reared for friendship's sake. A robin on my window sill Gives me a summer morning thrill; While every friend along the way Always has something new to say.

I feel a tingle of delight To romp with those I love at night. Within my baby's laughing eyes A thrill that's most entrancing lies. I need no stimulus to see The joy of life, whatever it be; So many charms God's bounty spills, I'd say the world is full of thrills.

## CAESARCREEK HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

The boys' and girls' basketball teams were banqueted Tuesday evening by the parents and people of the community. Letters were presented the following players for having participated in at least half of their teams play. Boys—Forrest Ellis, (Captain), Robert St. John, Donald St. John, Elden Heinz, Harry Pickering, Bernard Steele, Edgar Grav-

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HENRY MILLER



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## SIDELIGHTS

ON

Greene County History

### PRIVATE SCHOOLS

Because of such meager data relating to the many private schools of the period prior to 1851, it is impossible to furnish much information concerning them.

Benjamin Grover, Hugh Hamill and Thomas Steele are known to have been early teachers but there were at least a score of others who taught in Xenia at different times before 1851. Most of these were women.

A large brick building on the hill south of the Pennsylvania Railroad depot was occupied as a school building for number of years. It was built by Lewis Wright, a teacher in the city. However his wife, Mrs. Hannah Wright, gave the school its greatest reputation.

A boarding school was conducted in the building in the '40s, some of its pupils coming from outside the city and rooming in the building. For several years it maintained an excellent reputation for its work.

Several other teachers were connected with Mrs. Wright. Notable among these was Dr. Samuel Wilson, who taught Greek and Latin and other higher branches. The school was in operation until 1850. Another woman who taught at the same time as Mrs. Wright was Mrs. Mulligan. She conducted a school for girls in a building on E. Church St., later the Kelly property. This later gave way to the Xenia Female Academy.

John Armstrong and the Rev. Hugh McMillen had schools for boys in the '40s and '50s. Armstrong had his school on the east side of the lot occupied by the old Central High School building. McMillen occupied the building west of Central.

Armstrong was also a noted mathematician and it is said he at one time received a gold medal from the French government for some independent investigation in the field of astronomy. His two daughters, conducted a school for small children in the same building after his death.

Henry Miller, noted actor, died in New York. William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor, placed the organization on record in favor of beer. Governor Blaine, of Wisconsin, began his campaign against Senator Lenroot for the Republican Senatorial nomination. Senator Willis, of Ohio, was opposed for the G. O. P. Senatorial nomination by Judge Florence Allen, the only woman ever to sit on the Ohio Supreme Court bench.

## Today's Talk

### LITTLE ENOUGH

It is only when the brave and simple nobility of some unheard of one shames us that we come to realize how really unimportant and useless we are.

No matter how hard we try to be somebody or to do something worth while, it is little enough.

We shuttle too much through this life.

Ideals don't always have the gold rays of the sun upon them.

Often they are darkened by the clouds of a storm. But it is our faith—that comes from somewhere—that leads us always and eventually into the light again.

No matter what we do for others no matter how we try to make this world a little happier, it is little enough.

We can never be too kind, never do too much to make the way of some one else less difficult, never give too much of love.

The world is full of cravers. The hunger of the heart, of the soul, is a far nobler hunger than ever that of the body.

When the rain falls and the winds blow, adding gloom and loneliness, it is little enough to go out of your way to do something that will put a light into the window of a life darkened by discouragement and loss.

How just a little bunch of white daisies changes all!

## AVIATORS START ON LONG FLIGHT

Six aviators of the Fairfield Intermediate Depot and Bolling Field, Washington, hopped off Friday on the first leg of a 2,200 mile flight to Santa Monica, Calif.

Group is expected to reach its destination within four or five days, making the trip in easy stages in a Douglas transport.

Each flyer will make the return trip from the Pacific coast city in a new Douglas O-2 plane, built for the army air service at the Douglas factories.

Party includes Captain Pascale and Lieut. William J. Hanlon, and four pilots from Bolling Field.

### EXPECT GOVERNOR

URBANA, O., Apr. 17.—Gov. Donahey is expected to attend the Jefferson Day banquet to be held here April 21.

## For Rent

Modern Upstairs Apartment  
Close In  
See

D.R.A.C. MESSENGER  
Cor. 2nd and Detroit

## MODISH MITZI—Aunt Sophia Makes Both Ends Meet Anyway BY J. V. JAY



Aunt Sophia is frowning over her accounts. The total seems impossible but not improbable. It's formidable. Its devastating. Where's the summer vacation that she was planning. Well, she will have to economize. Not another frock this season. The one she wears is a redingote style. The scarf collar is becoming.



Mitzi has lured Aunt Sophia shopping with her. Aunt Sophia, by the way is wearing a coat of charmeen—navy blue—of course, because it is so smart. Long lines because they give a slender effect. Capes because they are exceedingly popular this season.



Mitzi is telling Aunt Sophia how good looking this frock of georgette will be on her. It's so smart too, scallops and jumper are well combined—two popular features. Aunt Sophia has half a mind to try it on. Well Mitzi makes up the other half and the dress is bought.



It has suddenly dawned upon Aunt Sophia that she has misused, nay broken her resolution for economy. How will she make both ends meet? Dad, of course, saves the situation! He's just suggested that he send Mitzi (and Aunt Sophia of course, must arrange to go with her) on a little trip abroad, or to Canada. Will she? Will she?

## Electric Chair? Wodda I Care!



RICHARD DAUNT (Right) and

Richard Daunt, sixteen, youngest of the so-called "cake eater" bandit gang to be tried for the murder of a Jamaica, L. I. restaurant keeper during a hold-up, is supremely indifferent to his trial. "Aw, wodda I care," is Dick's attitude. Herbert Koerber, another of the gang, already has been convicted and faces sentence to death in the electric chair. Daunt is seen here with his guard.

## ANTIOCH ENTERED IN ANNUAL RELAY EVENTS SATURDAY

Drawings for the third annual Ohio Relays carnival at the Ohio stadium Saturday were held Friday night at the closing session of the athletic seminar sponsored by Ohio State University for Ohio college and high school track coaches at Columbus.

Antioch College has entered sprint teams in the one-mile relay and medley relay for Class B colleges. Coach Earl Prugh's team drew number 2 lane in the one-mile relay and will be opposed by teams of Bowling Green State Normal, Otterbein and Bluffton, according to the drawings.

In the medley relay, Antioch also drew number 2 lane, Ball Teachers, Bowling Green Normal and Otterbein will furnish the opposition in this race.

Wilberforce University has entered a team in the half-mile relay and will run in heat number 2. It drew lane number five. Michigan State Normal, Cincinnati, Otterbein, Bradley, Ohio and Muskingum are also entered.

Cedarville has entered teams in the sprint medley relay and mile relay.

## FOOTBALL FORWARD PASS NOT DOOMED RULES CHIEF SAYS

COLUMBUS, April 17.—The football forward pass is not doomed and fans need not fear being deprived of the thrill of the last minute aerial attack just a few seconds before the final whistle blows.

E. K. Hall, New York, chairman of the National Football Rules committee, expressed his opinion here in discussing the newly inaugurated rules, providing penalty for unsuccessful attempts at aerial gains.

"This new rule is not aimed at team possessing a legitimate well executed forward pass attack," Hall declared. "The rule provides for five yard penalties for unsuccessful forward passes after an initial incomplete pass in any one series of downs."

"It is designed to discourage indiscriminate hurling of passes by an eleven which seeks this method as a last resort for scoring when time will not permit of another type of attack or as a method of killing time," Hall explained.

In the opinion of Hall the new rule should "really improve the free pass style of play by placing a penalty on poor forward passing technique and ill-timed aerial offensives."

"Possibility of a penalty through an incomplete pass is not so great a hazard as the possibility of a pass being intercepted by an opposing player," Hall said.

## HOW THEY STAND

NATIONAL LEAGUE	W	L	Pct.
Philadelphia	3	1	.750
St. Louis	3	1	.750
CINCINNATI	2	1	.666
New York	2	1	.666
Brooklyn	1	2	.333
Chicago	1	2	.333
Pittsburgh	1	3	.250
Boston	1	3	.250

Yesterday's Results.  
Cincinnati 2, Chicago 1.  
New York 3, Brooklyn 2.  
Boston 6, Philadelphia 5.  
St. Louis 3, Pittsburgh 1.

Games Today.  
Chicago at St. Louis.  
Pittsburgh at Cincinnati.  
Boston at New York.  
Brooklyn at Philadelphia.

AMERICAN LEAGUE	W	L	Pct.
Chicago	3	0	1.000
Washington	3	1	.750
New York	2	1	.666
CLEVELAND	1	1	.500
Detroit	1	2	.333
Boston	1	2	.333
Philadelphia	1	3	.250
St. Louis	0	3	.000

Yesterday's Results.  
Detroit 5, Cleveland 3.  
New York 3, Boston 2.  
Washington 4, Philadelphia 3.  
Chicago 5, St. Louis 1.

Games Today.  
St. Louis at Detroit.  
Cleveland at Chicago.  
New York at Washington.  
Philadelphia at Boston.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION	W	L	Pct.
Minneapolis	4	0	1.000
Indianapolis	3	0	1.000
Louisville	3	0	1.000
TOLEDO	2	1	.666
St. Paul	1	2	.333
Kansas City	0	3	.000
Milwaukee	0	3	.000
COLUMBUS	0	4	.000

Yesterday's Results.  
Toledo 9, St. Paul 6.  
Minneapolis 13, Columbus 4.  
Louisville 7, Milwaukee 4.  
Indianapolis 8, Kansas City 7.

Games Today.  
Louisville at Kansas City.  
Indianapolis at Milwaukee.  
Toledo at Minneapolis.  
Columbus at St. Paul.

## BOWLING

William Horner again snatched the leadership of the Class A division city bowling tournament when he came from behind to win the odd game in a three-game series from Howard Donley Friday night.

Previous to the match, Donley and Horner were deadlocked in a tie for top position. It was Donley's first defeat of the tournament. Harry Jordan defeated William Moorehead two games in three in a Class C match, the only other games of the evening.

Class A Results.	W	L	Pct.
Donley	182	160	159
B. Horner	172	188	181
Class C Results.	W	L	Pct.
Moorehead	162	189	172
H. Jordan	195	195	195

## WICAL UNABLE TO PITCH OPENER FOR TEAM HERE SUNDAY

Because he has received a hurried call to rejoin his team at Chambersburg, Pa., Thurman Wical, brilliant Greene County pitcher, will be unable to pitch the opening game for the Bowersville Bayliffs against the Xenia Reserve baseball team Sunday afternoon at Washington Park, it is announced.

Wical was scheduled to oppose Curt Free on the mound before leaving for Chambersburg in a week and fans were all set to witness a pitcher's battle.

Rather than disappoint local diamond enthusiasts, the Bayliffs have signed up a well known Cincinnati pitcher, who will hurl the Sunday contest for the visitors. The slub artist in question is said to have pitched against the Cincinnati Reds National League baseball club, on several occasions.

Manager Brockman announces the ticket sale for the benefit motion picture show for the Reserve Baseball Club at the Orpheum Theater Monday and Tuesday evenings, is proceeding smoothly. Tom Mix, popular cowboy of the silent drama, takes the leading part in "My Own Pal," feature picture.

## PAROCHIAL SCHOOL ATHLETIC BODY IS FORMED AT MEETING

The Southwest Ohio Parochial Athletic Association is now a reality.

Representative managers of the organization met Friday night at St. Joseph High School, Springfield, and arranged football spring drills for the coming season.

Schools represented were, St. Mary, Urbana; Holy Angels High, Sidney; and St. Bernard, St. Raphael and St. Joseph, Springfield.

St. Brigid High, Xenia, was represented at the conference but declined to book games since it is problematical whether the locals will have a football eleven next season.

Association will abide by almost the same rules and is nearly identical with the Ohio High School Association except in the ruling that a player is eligible for ten semesters instead of only eight.

## GRAND JURY PROBES FORGERY CHARGES AGAINST 2 YOUTHS

Willard Williams, 21, this city, alleged accomplice of Ervin Shoemaker, 19, Xenia, arrested Thursday morning by Xenia police after evading capture for three weeks, waived preliminary examination and pleaded not guilty to a forgery charge before Mayor E. P. West, Wilmington, and was bound over to the grand jury, which meets Monday.

He is charged with passing a forged check for \$10 to J. E. Mann, Wilmington, March 13. Shoemaker, who pleaded guilty to a similar charge March 19 and was bound over to the grand jury in Wilmington, implicated Williams in a statement to police. Shoemaker is in the Clinton County Jail in default of \$1,000 bond.

Shoemaker was arrested in Wilmington following an unsuccessful effort to cash a forged check at the R. C. Sprinkle grocery. Williams escaped and managed to elude authorities of three cities until his arrest at his parents' home Thursday.

The two youths, according to Shoemaker's confession, gave a "cold" check for \$10 to J. E. Mann March 13 in payment for a jackknife, and a second for \$20 at the W. P. McDermott grocery for a small purchase.

Both checks were on the First National Bank at Wilmington. Mann's check was made payable with the name of Albert Oglesbee. McDermott's check was also made payable to the same person and signed with the name of John Ellicott, a former employer of Williams.

## FIVE BEST RADIO FEATURES

WEAF, New York, (492), and WFI, WSAT, 8:25 p. m., EST.—The Bach 3 minor mass.  
KGO, Oakland, (361), 8:10 p. m., PCST.—Opera: Company of Luxembourg.

WEEL, Boston, (349), 8:10 p. m., EST.—Boston Symphony Orchestra.  
WSB, Atlanta, (428), 10:45 p. m., CST.—Red Head Club.  
WOC, Davenport, (484), 10:00 p. m., CST.—Travelogue on "Alaska."

SUNDAY  
WEAF Hook up 9:15 p. m. EST. Frances Alden, Soprano and John Corigan, Violin.

WHO, Kansas City, 2:56-8 p. m. CST. Address Sinclair Lewis.  
WEAF Hook up, 7:30 p. m. EST. Capitol Theater Program.  
WCCO, Minneapolis-St. Paul, 4:16-9:30 p. m. CST. Organ recital.

WHO, Des Moines, 5:26-4 p. m. CST. Hartley Municipal Band.  
MONDAY  
WEAF, NEW YORK, 492 and WCAP, Washington, 469, 8 p. m. EST. Address President Coolidge's D. A. R. annual meeting.

WJZ, New York, 454, 7:40 p. m. EST. Address Robert J. Bender, General News manager United Press.

WEAF Hook up—10 p. m. EST. W. E. A. F. Grand Opera Co., in Mozart's Opera, "The Marriage of Figaro." WEAF, WOO, WCAE, WTAR, WCAP, WTG, WTIC, WTSN, WTSR.



By HENRY FARRELL

NEW YORK, April 14.—George Sisler is one of the hardest young men in baseball to lure into conversation and when it comes to making predictions he is as noisy as a mute.

"How about your club this season?" the youthful manager of the St. Louis Browns was asked some time back in the training camp. "We're alright," Sisler replied. "Some of the critics say you're a sure one-two shot."

"That's very nice of them," he replied at length.

"Are you stronger than last year?"

"I think so," he replied. After the most laborious cross-examination it was finally found out of him that the Browns are improved this year by the finding of Oscar Melillo, a sensational rookie infielder, by the addition of the veterans Tom Zachary and Wally Schang and by the improvement observed in Durst, a young outfielder.

Like every other manager of a prominent contender, Sisler feels that the success of the team in the American League pennant race depends largely on the breaks and the pitching staff.

The Browns didn't have any of the best of luck last season and they were crippled through most of the season by serious injuries.

Most everyone who has seen the Browns this spring was impressed by the class and the spirit of the club. "Sisler," a prominent umpire said, "is a manager now instead of a player. By that I mean he is handling the club with the viewpoint of a manager and he is getting results."

Sisler had no club rules. He lets the players play what they want and do largely as they wish during off hours as long as they remain in condition to play baseball.

The team was full of hustle in the training camp and there was a very noticeable atmosphere of confidence in the players.

Sisler's biggest problem will be the selection of the proper infield. There is no weakness but on the other hand too much strength. Melillo fielded so brilliantly and hit so hard in the training games that he couldn't be kept out of the game.

There was no room for him at second with Marty McManus playing there and Gene Robertson is too good a third baseman to be kept out of the game. Robertson, however, is not of the hustling type and it may be that Sisler will have to move McManus over to third base and use Melillo at second. The chances are that Robertson, with competition threatening his job, may put a little more spirit in his game.

With Walter Gerber around, the shortstop position is in good hands and Sisler is the best first baseman in baseball so there are no infield worries.

The outfield also has plenty of offensive and defensive strength in Harry Rice, the biggest find of years, Kenneth Williams, Doll Jacobson, Durst and Bennett. Williams was in poor health last year and had a poor season but he

## COUNTY CAMP QUOTA SIXTEEN CHAIRMAN INFORMS PROSPECTS

While enrollment for the Citizens' Military Training Camps in Ohio has not made the rapid strides that it did last year, Dr. H. C. Messenger, Greene County chairman, expresses confidence Greene County will reach its quota of sixteen applications, before June 1, the scheduled time for closing the campaign.

The C. M. T. C. which has become an essential element in the national defense system as expressed by congress, originated in 1913. First students were university men. Draft in the World War brought to light 50 per cent of young Americans had physical defects, and Americans, facing this fact, appealed to congress after the war to establish camps on a national scale.

The training camps plan was incorporated by congress as one of the important features of the national defense act. President Wilson approved the bill establishing them in 1920.

Camp Knox, Ky., is located thirty-one miles southeast of Louisville on the Illinois Central Railroad and on the Dixie Highway between Chicago and New Orleans. It is one of the largest military reservations in the country, comprising 32,000 acres.

Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind., is a modern army post of brick and stone, located eleven miles northeast of Indianapolis. It is the second military post in the state of Indiana to bear the name of the old soldier-statesman family.

Fort Thomas, Ky., is within easy reach of Cincinnati, Newport, Covington, Latonia and lesser towns. It overlooks the Ohio river and is adjacent to a small town known also as Fort Thomas. Because of its location, Fort Thomas is known as a show place to tourists.

Ample opportunity for play, recreation and entertainment is provided. Athletics, including group games, field and track sports, and mass play have a large and important place in the training program.

Service clubs, under supervision of competent personnel, are operated at each camp. Parents and friends are urged to visit these camps and personally observe candidates at work and play.

Government furnishes railroad fare, cost of meals to and from camp, uniforms, food, quarters, laundry service, medical and dental attention while at camp. Free medical examination by Dr. Messenger will be given all candidates before they attend camp.

## ENGLISH PREACHER WILL GIVE LECTURES

Dr. G. Campbell Morgan, noted English preacher and Bible teacher will give a series of lectures under the auspices of the Young Men's Christian Association, Dayton, O., April 19th, 20th, 21st and 22nd.

Dr. Morgan will speak twice daily 3:00 p. m., Y. M. C. A. auditorium and 7:30 p. m. First Lutheran Church.

The following are the subjects of the evening lectures: "The Romance of the Bible," "The Bible and the Nation," "The Bible and the Church," and "The Bible and the Child."

Dr. Morgan was born and educated in England and is now recognized as one of the greatest living Bible students. All of these meetings will be open to the public.

## Giving Sisler Reason to Feel Good



Tom Zachary (left) and Win Ballou (right), hurlers traded to St. Louis by Washington Senators, are telling Manager Sisler of Browns that he'll have the laugh on Griffith before the season's over, thanks to their work on the mound. Sisler doesn't look skeptical, does he? Photo from Brown training camp at Tarpon Springs, Fla.

## Public Sale

I will sell at auction on the old Stevenson farm, about 3 miles south of Yellow Springs near Dewine Milling Co., at Goes Station on

Thursday, April 22, 1926

At 12 Noon

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29—SHEEP—29

Shrop and Delaine, 28 ewes and 1 buck. Some with lambs by side.

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Full line farm implements and wagons.

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7 sides work harness, buggy harness, lines, collars, bridles, halters.

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## LAUNCHES NEW BUSINESS IN SPITE OF EIGHTY THREE YEARS; FORMER XENIAN

William F. Starke, Dayton, former Xenian, celebrated his eighty-third birthday Thursday by entering the garage business on an elaborate scale in Dayton. He was formerly a well known figure in railroad circles.

Mr. Starke, brother-in-law of Mrs. Maude Starke, Home Ave., was born in Xenia April 15, 1843 and entered the railroad service in 1862, as a brakeman, becoming successively work-train conductor, freight conductor and chief train dispatcher on the old Columbus and Cincinnati railroad.

He moved from Xenia about forty years ago. In December 1881 he became superintendent of the Southern division of the Cincinnati Southern railroad and later went to the Monon railroad as chief trainmaster and then to the C. H. and D., as superintendent of the Toledo division. He went to Dayton in December 1885 as superintendent of the Dayton joint tracks, the Dayton Union Railroad and the Home Ave. railroad to the National Military Home.

He opened the present Dayton union station in 1900 and shortly after organized and operated the Union Station Transfer Co. which he disposed of in 1917. In 1914 Mr. Starke retired from railroad service and devoted his time to the transfer and livery business. With the trend of the times he sold his livery horses and remodeled the building at 117 Court St., into a garage.

When Mr. Starke sold the transfer company in 1917 he leased the building to the Coffield Tire Projector Co., in which he was interested. He has been active in business as a member of the

"APEWOMAN" DIES  
NEW YORK, April 17.—Krao, for forty-three years a circus " freak," killed in the "Ape woman" bill at her home here from influenza.

Circus tradition records that Krao was found by an explorer in Siam in 1883, and was taken to a Berlin museum.

Most of her life was spent in this country. She became well educated and conversed in four languages.

She had no cartilage in her nose, her body was covered with hair and she had cheek pouches similar to those of monkeys.

PITTSBURGH  
Cattle—Receipts, light; market, slow; choice, \$9.75@10; good, \$9.40@9.65; fair, \$7.50@8; real calves, \$12@13.50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, light; market, steady; prime wethers, \$8@8.25; good, \$7@7.50; fair mixed, \$6@7; yearling, \$8@12.75.

Hogs—Receipts, 16 doubles; market, active and stronger; prime heavy, \$12.50@13; mediums, \$13.85@14; heavy Yorkers, \$13.85@14; light Yorkers, \$14.15@14.25; pigs, \$14.15@14.25; roughs, \$9.50@11; stags, \$5@6.75.

CINCINNATI CATTLE MARKET  
Cattle—Receipts, 100; market, steady; steers, good to choice, \$9@10; calves—Market, steady; good to choice, \$10.50@11.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 111; market, steady; good to choice packers and butchers, \$13.25@13.50.

Sheep—Market, steady; good to choice, \$6@8.

Lambs—Market, steady; good to choice, \$13.50@14; springers, \$14@20.

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George Gaines, superintendent. Preaching 10:30 a. m. B. Y. P. U., 6:30 p. m. Mrs. Hawkins, president. Program leader, Miss Thelma Lucas. Song, choir. Scripture reading, Mr. Christopher Perry. Prayer, Mrs. Belle Tibbs; leading of minutes, Secretary; piano solo, Miss Rosa Murphy; reading, Miss Opal Goodin; solo, Miss Cora Lewis; paper, Mr. Everett Roberts; solo, Mr. Luther Games; solo, Miss Wiggins. Wilberforce, discussion of topic, "The Great Baptist Adventure." Galatians, 5:12—Corinthians, 3:17, 18; talk, Rev. A. L. Dooley. Please be on time.

ST. JOHN'S A. M. E. CHURCH

Club leader numbers one and five, Lionel Page and Miss Majorie Byrd conducted a unique play "Eyes of Love" at East Hi Friday evening, which was witnessed by a crowded house. Proceeds for the big rally at St. John's Church.

ZION BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. A. L. Dooley, Pastor Sunday School 9:15 a. m.

TO CHANGE HOURS

Notice—The Greene County Library will open at 10 o'clock a. m., Daylight Saving Time, beginning April 26; it will close as usual at 5:30 p. m. on Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday; but on Tuesday, it will be opened continuously from 10 o'clock a. m. until 9 o'clock p. m.

## Daily Market News

### LIVE STOCK

#### CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO, April 17.—(By U. S. D. A.) Hogs receipts 5,000, market active strong to 10 cents higher; top \$13.90; bulk \$11.60 & \$13.20; heavy weights \$11.40 & \$12.50; medium weights \$12.00 & \$13.25; lightweights \$12.70 & \$13.80; light lights \$12.90 & \$13.90; packing sows \$10.40 & \$10.90; slaughter pigs \$13.35 & \$14.00.

Cattle, receipts 500, weighty fed steers 10 and 15 cents lower, others and all grades of yearlings fully steady. Receipts for week 51,000; market slow compared to week earlier. Week's bulk of prices: fat steers \$8.65 & \$9.85; fat cows \$5.50 & \$7.50; heifers \$7.35 & \$9.60; canners and cutters \$3.85 & \$4.65; vealers \$10.25; packers and feeders \$7.25 &

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# THE PASSING OF "BILL" CHAMPION, THE SAGE OF STRINGTOWN, RECALLED TO MIND

BY OLIVER WATSON

Bill's advent into the world was marked with no great convulsion of nature or other phenomenon. His demise, however, was more noticeable, but while the banking houses of Bellbrook and Spring Valley were more or less shaken as a result of the larger money centers of the world experienced little or no embarrassment.

His mission on earth was never clear to the thousands with whom he commingled during his earthly sojourn. There was, therefore, much speculation as to the section in life he was created to fill. As a natural comedian, he probably was without a peer. Lack of education, however, prevented the raw material from being developed to any very great degree. His failure to obtain an education was probably due to the fact that he attended school in an age when "lickin' and larnin'" went together, and being naturally of a disposition to "keep things movin'" it is more than probable that he acquired more of the former and less of the latter.

Be that as it may, we are certain that "Bill" did not "dig in the earth and bury the one talent," but with the handicap under which he was placed, pushed forward and "gained other talents," thus saving his physical structure from being wrecked through the medium of an ax, cross-cut saw, and all other implements of torture. To say that he was lazy, would be making a harsh term, and if the writer ever had made such a statement, he gladly would atone for it by using Irving's words on Rip Van Winkle. "The great error in Rip's composition was an insuperable aversion to all kinds of profitable labor."

It never has been our disposition to compare "Bill" with the man who inherited a dollar from his father's estate and requested the executor to put the money in his pocket, nor the case of Bill Jones who ordered the pallbearers to "lower the coffin" and allowed himself to be buried alive rather than accept a bushel of corn that was not shelled.

The high-water mark in "Bill's" career came in 1863 when the Bananberg Circus visited Dayton. Their only clown was stricken while trying to pay off the national debt in a way which is now prohibited by the Eighteenth Amendment, and "Bill" was substituted to play the part. "The Dayton Daily Empire" gave the following account:

"The substitution of Bill Champion, of near Centerville, to don

a clown costume in the circus here yesterday after their only fun-maker had suffered a temporary stroke of paralysis while endeavoring to pay more than his share of the revenue, came as a God-send to show-goers who were highly elated over the masterful performance of the new clown. "Bill's" appearance in the ring bedecked with all that goes to make up a clown outfit, was the signal for spontaneous outbreak, the like of which has seldom been heard since the days of Patrick Henry. He was in many respects the counterpart of a real clown, his actions at times being such as were calculated to make the two Kings of Clowndom, Don Rice and Gramaulde look like a pair of counterfeit nickels half spent."

Our earliest recollection of a show (except the pin shows conducted in the wash-room of the old hotel when such stars as George Dingler, Frank Hale, Arthur Austin and George Miller, craped the space back of the footlights) was on a day in the early 80's when Bill's advance agent hit town and began to paper the woodsheds and smokehouses with large, flashy show bills.

The cup of joy that filled every youngster's heart overflowed when the long-looked-for day arrived, and "Bill" parked his two-horse spring wagon in front of the "Big Brindell and invited the boys to help transfer its contents to the interior of the Opera House, for the visitor, who was simply "caught up into the third heaven." The unloading of Ringling Brothers' circus at the Union depot in Dayton in later years was a trifling circumstance compared with the thrills experienced that day.

And the show which followed exceeded our fondest dreams. Punch and Judy were executed with an efficiency second to none, and "Peter Haints" kept the crowd spellbound for more than an hour. The closing number was a magic lantern picture—a peaceful country scene on the farms of John Bigger, showing the residence and outbuildings, with droves of livestock and coveys of fowls doaming and flying over the green fields and along the still waters. Many things of an interesting character might be told of our hero, but one outstanding feature will suffice. Probably the greatest mistake in "Bill's" life was when his mind turned in the direction of journalism, and he "dared to beard the lion in his den." It was during the balmy days of "The Bellbrook Moon" when "Bill" discovered the wicked

## Anti-Soviet Speaker Rescued From Pekin Mob; 14 Injured



China's political situation looms more grave than ever following the recent Soviet demonstration in Pekin when 14 men were injured and Cheng Hsiu-Ching, speaker at an anti-Soviet meeting, was rescued from a mob of "Red" sympathizers who marched on the National University there, where he was speaking. Photo shows the speaker, blood be-spattered, being assisted away.

ed things that were being said in that paper in connection with the death of a young man of the village.

Morgan Fudge, the editor, had published an article stating that the death of the young man was due more to starvation than any other cause, and in the most severe tones of which he was capable, denounced without reservation those whom he held responsible for the young man's death. "Bill's" tender heart was touched for the ones whom he believed to be good people, and who had been made the principals in a neighborhood scandal. We are not in a position to produce "Bill's" article which was a demerit of all that had been said and a few hot shots at the editor, "Poor Bill!" If he had known Fudge, he never would have adopted journalism as a profession, much less to have locked horns with him in such a tilt.

Fudge's answer was a general onslaught along the whole line, his heaviest guns being made to play on "Bill." He entered into a detailed account of the affair, beginning with the young man's illness and winding up with his funeral. The members of a certain church were roundly denounced for not practicing "The Golden Rule," and the "township fathers" were scored in no uncertain terms for their laxity in an official duty.

As for "Bill," his past history was revived from the time of his birth up until after the young man had been carried to his last resting-place. He was upbraided with his failure as a showman, his downfall as a junker, his indisposition to pay off the mortgage on his farm, and a born inclination to encourage his wife and children in raising the crops, caring for the live-stock and cutting the wood.

The last shot in the drama was a picture of "Bill" glued to the seat of his old-fashioned red peddler-wagon distributing hand-bills advertising his Peter Haints show as he slowly brought up the rear of the funeral procession.

## SECOND SUIT FILED AGAINST RAILROAD ON SAME ACCIDENT

Suit for \$250 damages filed in Common Pleas Court by Ray Conner against the Pennsylvania Railroad Co., is the second damage action preferred against the company as a result of a railroad crossing accident at Roxana, February 13, 1925, in which Russell Conner lost his life when his auto was hit by a train.

James Conner, as administrator of the estate of Russell Conner, deceased, was recently awarded \$2,800 damages against the company, the full amount asked.

Ray Conner is a brother of the deceased. He asks damages, alleging the automobile in which his brother was riding was owned by him and was demolished in the collision. A fair market value on the machine would be \$250, he claims.

Petition contains similar allegations of the first suit, charging the company with negligence and carelessness. F. L. Johnson and C. L. Darlington are attorneys for the plaintiff.

**SUES ON ACCOUNT**  
The Pure Oil Co. has brought suit against E. J. Carlisle in Common Pleas Court for \$269.68, alleged due on an account. Marcus Shoppe is attorney for the plaintiff.

**FORECLOSURE SOUGHT**  
A. Ables and Anna Bell Ables are made defendants in a suit filed in Common Pleas Court by The Home Building and Savings Co., for \$1,709.64, alleged due in principal and interest on two obligations. Foreclosure of mortgaged

property is asked. H. S. LeSourd is attorney for the plaintiff.

**GIVEN DIVORCE**  
Samuel F. Mercia has been granted a divorce from Eliza M. Mercia in Common Pleas Court on grounds of gross neglect of duty.

## TOO FAT? TOO THIN?

J. J. Toedt, Director of Physical Education, Wilson Ave. Dept. Y. M. C. A., Chicago.

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This exercise should be started easily as should yesterday's, and gradually increased as the body becomes accustomed to it.

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Exercise: Raise body to sitting

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## Unkissed



MRS. ELEANOR NORRIS

Mrs. Eleanor Norris, twenty-six, of Chicago, asking a divorce, admitted her husband, Clinton Norris, forty-six, lavished money upon her, but declared he seldom kissed her.

## BEFORE HER BABY CAME

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Adkins, Texas.—"Before my baby came I was so weak I had to stay in bed most of the time until I began taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. My mother-in-law, who is a midwife, told me it was all footsickness for me to stay in bed. She told me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and it would help me. She handed me one of your little books and I read it and was interested in it. I went to a drug store that night and got a bottle of your wonderful medicine. I took it until the baby was born and was able to be up and do my work. Baby is 4½ months old now and weighs 14 pounds. I have plenty of milk for her and she gains steadily. I recommend it. I am willing to answer letters and will do anything I can for any woman, for I know how I suffered."—Mrs. A. H. TSCHIBBART, R. No. 2, Box 39, Adkins, Texas.



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## GAS BUGGIES—Hem Gets Homesick

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My Matrimonial Vacation

by VIOLET DARE

AUTHOR OF "The Half-Time Wife," "The Husband Tamer," "One Wife on Approval," etc.

I—"GET YOUR MAN!"

A MAN once called me a synthetic vamp.

"That means you're made by man—artificially transformed into a siren," he explained. "You were meant to be a nice little wife with a devoted husband and a large family, and instead here you are, rushing about and devastating the land, making every man who sees you fall in love with you, asking no quarter and giving none."

Well, he was right. Ever since I was seventeen my motto has been, "Get Your Man," and the Canadian mounted police were never much more successful than I. He was right about my not being meant for a siren, too. It was my mother, whom I call Virginia, who made me one.

When I was born she gave me one glance and said, "Thank Heaven she's a blonde!" The nurses protested that nobody could tell what so young an infant was going to look like, but Virginia insisted, and she was right. I think she began planning her campaign right then, the campaign that was to give her and me all the things Dad couldn't give us, because he hadn't the money or social position.

Competition was pretty keen as I grew older. I went with the daughters of the best people in town, and when Virginia sent me to a fashionable boarding school she warned me that I must be careful about the money or social position.

"Pick out the ones who have family and money, not just the most popular ones," she told me. "There may be a very unattractive girl who has an eligible brother or cousin; if you're nice to her she'll appreciate it. Just be careful."

I hated advice like that, and determined that I wouldn't act on it. Virginia didn't know about my first trip to West Point, when I was seventeen, my last year at school. It was just after my Easter vacation, when I had gone home, and found her and Daddy having an awful row. One evening I came downstairs, ready to start for a party. The people I was going with were waiting for me, and Virginia was standing in the doorway, looking at them. She made a stunning picture.

Hearing me, she whirled around. "Come into the sun parlor with me," she commanded, and when we had reached it and closed the door, she turned on me almost angrily.

"We've got to fend for ourselves," she said. "And we'll do it! I can give you everything for a year, but that's all—before the end of the year you've got to get married, and well married, too. Or we go to the poorhouse. Your father's going to go off to that hunting lodge of his in Carolina, and I'm going to get a divorce."

Dad and I had never known each other very well—he always made me uncomfortable, with his quizzical smile and his eyes that seemed to see right through me. I knew that he'd been so disappointed because I wasn't a boy that he'd never cared much for me.

I went back to school, and three

days later I went to a hop at West Point. The man who was to take me—"drag me," in West Point slang—was ill, and another man substituted for him. That other man was Jim Larrabee.

He looked down at me as we were introduced, and smiled. That smile sent shivers straight through me. That night at the hop he tore up my program, and we spent the evening sauntering up and down moonlit flirtation, which I believe is one of the most beautiful walks in the world.

The next day he came directly to me after parade, and we spent the afternoon together. When I went back to school Sunday night I wore his class ring on a ribbon around my neck—it was so big and heavy that I couldn't wear it on my hand. We were engaged.

Virginia was wild. I had thought she'd be pleased. Jim had told me how we'd live, how the government would give us our house wherever we were stationed, and most of our furniture, and he said Virginia could live with us. I thought she'd like the prospect of gay army life. She simply raved.

"Army officers never have any money—you'll be old and dowdy before your time—I won't have it!"

Virginia was standing in the doorway.

Send him ring back. I'll hear no more of this nonsense!"

Now Jim was a fighting Irishman. He was first captain at the Point, and awfully popular with everybody. He had the reputation of being an awful fierce smasher—you know how it always is with these big, rather homely, fascinating men—nobody can resist them. Virginia was the only person I ever knew who could resist Jim.

I stole away and went to his commencement. Immediately after the exercises he and I slipped away to the wonderful big chapel on the hill and were married.

I adored him, and I thought he adored me.

Yet within six months he had gone off to the Philippines, alone, and I was well on the way to becoming "a synthetic siren."

I'd "got my man"—once, and he'd almost broken my heart.

I was ready to listen to Virginia's advice and follow it.

"Don't ever believe any man," she said, and I believed her.

Tomorrow—A Critical Moment.

position without raising heels from floor.

The position is the same as that for the Double Leg Raise, except for the hands, which are placed, closed, near the shoulders. If you need the help of the arms in raising the body from the floor, use them by reaching forward toward the toes, but try to keep them as near the shoulders as possible. The closer they are while you succeed in sitting up without raising your heels, the better the control of the abdominal muscles.

Tomorrow The Spread will be your first four-count exercise.

## MRS. ALIA G. YEO DIES HERE FRIDAY

Mrs. Alia G. Yeo, 75, widow of Joshua Yeo, died at her home, 223 Bellbrook Ave., Friday afternoon at 2:40 o'clock from heart trouble after an illness of three weeks. She had been in poor health since last September.

She was born in Fayette County the daughter of Webster and Martha Chambliss and married Joshua Yeo August 8, 1881. He preceded her in death sixteen years.

Mrs. Yeo was a member of the First Methodist Episcopal Church and the Women's Relief Corps.

Surviving are three step-daughters, Mrs. Ralph Marshall, this city, who had taken care of her for several years when her eyesight failed; Mrs. Charles Stull, of near Morrow, O., and Mrs. Carl Hamilton, Dayton, O. She was also the last member of her immediate family.

Funeral services will be held at the residence Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock with interment in Woodland Cemetery.

## BUILDING PERMITS

Building permits issued by City Manager S. O. Hale during the past six weeks are as follows:

Albert F. Dorrell will erect a four-room residence and relocate a garage on S. Monroe St.

Edward Mason will remodel a porch and add two rooms at 432 N. West St.

W. E. Atkinson will build a garage 20 feet by 20 feet at 225 W. Second St.

Ella Bickett intends to re-roof and repair damage done by fire on Leamon St.

Lucy S. Haines will change a shed into a garage on Hill St.

V. L. Faires will erect a five-room residence on Sheridan Drive.

Henry Hill will build a garage at 731 Hill St., with dimensions 12 feet by 26 feet.

James Tate intends to have some re-roofing work done at 199 Dayton Ave.

Arthur Pope will re-roof and repair at 1015 W. Second St.

E. H. Hunt will build an addition to the broom factory on Dayton Ave.

Samuel Fisher will construct a six-room residence at 2 Sheridan Drive.

M. A. Smith will erect a garage, dimensions 14 feet by 20 feet at 412 N. Detroit St.

J. A. Hornick will build a garage at 124 E. Main St. Dimensions 20 feet by 20 feet.

R. D. Cook will do re-modeling work and build an addition at 37-39 E. Main St.

Dennis Tilford intends to construct a five-room residence and coal house at 37 Orchard St.

Henry Hill will re-roof, changing the style of the roofing, at 131 Trumbull St.

## EAST END NEWS

Rev. F. M. Liggins, formerly of this city, but now of Topeka Kan., has been recently called to the pastorate of the Baptist of Clarksburg, West Va. He will move his family there and take charge the first of May.

Mrs. Mary Tilton of E. Market St. left Thursday to be the guest of her brother, Mr. John Tilton of Cincinnati, for some time. Mrs. Phillip Daly accompanied her.

Mr. B. H. Little, 507 E. Main St. is confined indoors with grip.

Sunday will be missionary day at the Zion Baptist Church all day.

The pastor, Rev. A. L. Dooley, will preach a missionary sermon at the morning service. Mrs. Florence D. Cochran of Cleveland will sing. In the afternoon at 2:30 a special program by the Missionary Society at which time Mrs. Cochran, the director of Woman's Work of the State, will be the principal speaker and the evening service will be under the management of the teen age Missionary Girls. Special musical numbers will be rendered by the Misses Eutie Roper, Anna Stout, Maizie Hubbard and Marguerite Smith, students at Wilberforce University. The pastor will preach a special sermon to the young people.

East Main St. Church of Christ, A. W. Cromwell, pastor. Bible School 10 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Christian Endeavor 6:30 p. m. C. E. Program. Opening Song, Sweet Hour of Prayer; Scripture Reading and Prayer; Song, Revive Us Again; Recitation, A Happy Boy, Russell Curtis; Paper, Mr. Cecil Baker; Discussion of Topic, "How do people either build up or undermine the Lord's Day," by Miss Hazel Ross; Reading; Others, Miss Emma Banks; Remarks, Rev. Cromwell; Solo, Miss Emma Samuels; Solo, Miss Margaret Sanford; Remarks by the president; Song and Collection. You are welcome to all these services.

## On The Air From Cincinnati

STATION WSAI  
6:40—Children's story.  
7:00—Chime concert.  
7:15—Sextet.  
8:30—News review.  
8:45—Music program.  
12—Freda Sanker's orchestra.

STATION WLW  
7:00—Organist.  
8:00—Band.  
8:30—Radio, "A Step on the Stairs."  
9:00—Orchestra.

STATION WKRC  
10:00—Orchestra.  
10:15—Popular songs.  
10:30—Orchestra.  
11:00—Mouth harp and guitar.  
11:30—Orchestra.

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By BECK

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# TWO CHILDREN BURNED TO DEATH

## SPANISH FLYER AND MECHANIC FOUND DEAD

### AVIATORS SUCCEUM AFTER STRUGGLING TO ESCAPE DESERT

Attempted To Walk To  
Amman In Palest-  
tine

CAIRO, April 17.—Captain Estevez, the Spanish flier and his mechanic were found today after nearly a week in the desert in the region of Amman, Palestine.

Estevez was found first about forty miles from the spot where his abandoned plane was located several days ago. The mechanic was found soon afterward. Both men were in fairly good condition.

Estevez and his mechanic had left a note saying they were walking toward Amman, 120 miles distant.

Estevez and his two fellow pilots were on the Cairo-Bagdad stage of their flight when the former was forced down. Captain Callaraza and Loriaz got through without incident and now are in Agra, India, preparing to fly to Calcutta.

### AGED WOMAN FOUND DEAD ALONG TRACKS

MADISON, O., April 17.—Investigation of the death of Mrs. Amelie Jellerson, 81, whose body was found on the N. Y. C. right of way here, was being pushed today to determine whether murder, suicide or accident was involved.

Mrs. Jellerson left her home in Idaho Thursday to visit her brother, E. W. Lincoln, of Dexter, Maine. She was discovered missing Friday when the train reached Rochester, N. Y. Later her body, partly clad, was found along the tracks near here.

Corner Hausch of Lake County said if a sum of money is missing there would be grounds for believing in a murder theory.

### LYON DEFENSE WILL BE BASED ON DOUBT

NORWALK, O., April 17.—James Lyon's fight to escape death in the chair will be built around the possibility of establishing a doubt as to whether the alleged killer and desperado fired the shots which killed Detective Frank E. McGrath, of Cleveland.

This was made evident today by defense attorney M. O. Rettig who said he would attempt to show, through intimidation or direct testimony that when McGrath was killed, general confusion prevailed and several shots were fired by the officers who came to arrest Lyon.

"Any of these shots may have killed McGrath," Rettig declared, adding that he will bring up this point when Lyon's trial is resumed Monday.

The trial was adjourned late yesterday.

### OHIO JAP COLONY RETURNS TO COAST

WILLARD, O., April 17.—The Japanese colony which once worked the 4,000 acre tract of muck land owned by the Community Farm Company of Plymouth, is no more. The members have returned to the Pacific Coast.

Last fall the community stirred up considerable excitement in labor circles when it was said the company "intended to import Japanese for the colony." The stand that labor took and the inclement Ohio weather were given as reasons for their return west.

### START BUSINESS

TIFFIN, O., April 17.—Two small boys looted a fruit stand owned by Frank Mongilio to start in business for themselves.

Police investigating the theft found the boys had equipped a fruit stand of their own in the rear of neighbor's lot. They were turned over to juvenile court authorities.

### CONGRESS TODAY SENATE

Considers Italian debts.  
Considers public buildings bill.  
Sub-committee continues hearing drys at "beer hearings."  
Postal committee considers rate reductions.

HOUSE  
Considers private claims bill.  
Veterans committee considers guardianship charges.  
Ways and Means committee considers Mills alien property bill.

### LYONS TRIAL OFFICIALS THREATENED IN LETTER

Bloodshed Promised If Slayer Is Sentenced To More Than Two Years—Authorities Seek Motive For Note

NORWALK, O., April 17.—"More blood will flow" if James Lyon, two gun desperado on trial for the murder of Detective Frank McGrath, is sentenced to more than two years imprisonment, an anonymous letter received by authorities today declared.

Lyon's trial was adjourned late yesterday until Monday.

The letter was post marked

Cleveland and was dated last Tuesday. It was written on pink paper and was signed "K. K. K."

Officials advanced several theories in connection with the missive. One was that it was written by a woman friend of Lyon, another that in some way, it may be connected with Jim's escape from the county jail last Monday and lastly that it was the work of a practical joker.

Neither Sheriff Gregory nor Prosecutor Martin would comment.

### He's Handsome



CHARLES P. MURRAY

Charles P. Murray has been chosen as the handsomest senior at Fordham University. He is also a good athlete, sings tenor and his favorite drink is milk.

### PROPOSE EFFORT TO OPEN MILLS CLOSED BY TEXTILE STRIKE

Sheriff Will Take Charge  
Of Passaic On  
Monday

PASSAIC, N. J., April 17.—(UP)—An effort to open the textile mills where workers have been on strike for twelve weeks will be made Monday.

Sheriff Charles W. Morgan of Passaic County, intends to move into this city with 150 deputies and will take command of the 200 regular and special policemen of Passaic.

The mill owners already have gained a legal advantage. The Forstmann and Huffman Company, one of the largest mills in this district, secured a drastic temporary injunction forbidding picketing. Violation of this order will result in arrest on charges of contempt of court. Other mills are likely to seek similar injunctions.

Observers predict the crisis of the strike will be reached Monday.

Picketing has been behind most of the trouble in the textile area and Sheriff Morgan is expected to issue orders forbidding the strikers to gather en masse.

Bainbridge Colby, secretary of state under President Wilson is the latest Liberal to be drawn into the strike situation. He will appear in Passaic as counsel for Albert Weisbord, strike organizer, on a writ of habeas corpus which alleges Weisbord is being illegally detained.

### GOOD ROADS MEET HELD THIS MONTH

COLUMBUS, O., April 17.—A state conference on highway lighting will be held here April 22, under the auspices of the Ohio Good Roads Federation, it was announced here by W. A. Aisdorf, the executive secretary of the federation.

Upwards of 100 persons are expected to attend, representing civic, commercial and agricultural organizations, good-roads associations, safety councils, and other bodies.

PHILADELPHIA, April 17.—Leopold Stokowski, conductor of the Philadelphia Orchestra, has had his little joke on patrons of music and his audience doesn't know whether to grin or scowl.

It seemed that Philadelphia audiences arrive late. They al-

so leave early. All of which annoyed the eminent Stokowski. Yesterday's program was devoted to satire. When the curtain went up only two musicians were in their places. These played alone until other players entered hurriedly, made unnecessary confusion

### Twin Sister of Mrs. Vanderbilt To Rewed; New Mate British Peer



Thelma Morgan Converse, beautiful twin sister of Mrs. Reginald Vanderbilt, whose divorce from James V. Converse became absolute at the beginning of the year, is to marry Lord Marmaduke Furness, distinguished British peer and ship owner, shortly, it is said. He is rated the second richest man in Great Britain. Photos are of Mrs. Converse and Lord Marmaduke.

### LEGALIZING BEER IN ONTARIO FAILURE SAYS TORONTO LAWYER

Beer Dispensers Used Licenses To Shield Sale Of Stronger Drinks Senate Committee Is Told.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—Legalization of 4.4 per cent beer in Ontario has been a failure, W. E. Raney, Toronto attorney general of Ontario told the senate beer hearing committee today.

"It also has been found that those who took out licenses to sell this beer were using their licenses as shields to sell stronger stuff," he said.

Raney's evidence was adduced by the drys to discredit plans of the

wets that legalization of light beer would aid enforcement.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—Drys brought college professors and Canadian officials to their defense today to refute the evidence of wets that the college student had broken down morally because of prohibition and the Quebec liquor system is a good thing.

Concentrating upon these two features of their case, before the senate prohibition investigating committee, Wayne B. Wheeler, counsel of the Anti-Saloon League, called A. A. Stagg, University of Chicago and Prof. Irving Fisher and Henry Frannan of Yale, to testify whether students of those institutions are drinking and if it is corrupting their morals.

Hon. W. E. Raney, former attorney general of Ontario and other Canadian officials are to testify whether the Canadian system of government distribution has stopped drunkenness and crime there.

### WOMAN ATTORNEY FILES SUIT AGAINST DOHENY OIL INTERESTS

Mexican Company Asks \$97,600,000 From American Concern—Woman Lawyer Not Frightened By Big Suit

NEW YORK, April 17.—Papers are to be served Monday on the E. L. Doheny interests in a \$97,600,000 suit and a 37-year-old woman attorney will direct the attack.

Shirley Moore, the first woman graduate of the Yale law school, on the oil multi-millionaire.

is counsel for Merinos Viscaya Companies, Inc., which charges the Doheny Companies, have operated illegally on Mexican oil lands since 1905.

The land in question is one of the most productive in the entire Mexican oil fields. According to the plaintiff 120,000,000 barrels of oil have been taken from Casino No. 7, the well in dispute.

The Pan American Petroleum and Transport Company, the Mexican Petroleum Company, Huasteca Petroleum Company and the Tam-

lahua Petroleum Company, are defendants in the action which alleges that Geronimo Merinos, a son of Senora Encarnacion Cruz Betancourt, who owned the oil property in 1895 is the heir to Casino No. 7 and that the Company operating the well did not secure proper title through a faulty power of attorney.

Miss Moore is not at all frightened at handling what is probably the largest law suit financially that ever has been taken over by a woman. For one thing she already has beaten the Doheny lawyers twice in connection with the suit.

### THREE KILLED AS TRAIN HITS AUTO ON CROSSING

Machine Stalls On Tracks—Two Other Occupants Injured Before Any Could Leap From Auto.

NORWALK, O., April 17.—The death toll in a grade crossing crash here yesterday was raised to three today with the death of Miss Mann, 35. Miss Mann was fatally injured, Mrs. Walter Vatter, 35, and her son, Russell, were killed and Mrs. Vatter's husband and Charles Weisen-

baugh were seriously injured when their automobile stalled on the crossing in the path of a speeding train.

Vatter and Weisenbaugh still were in a critical condition today. None of the occupants saw the on-coming train in time to leap from the vehicle, according to eye witnesses.

### ATTORNEY DEFENDS MRS. BAKER AGAINST CHARGES IN MYSTERY

Statement Says Woman Has No Knowledge About Husband

By United Press  
MANSFIELD, O., April 17.—"Mrs. Francis Crum Baker, wife of Clark C. Baker, mysteriously missing since March 10, is innocent and knows nothing of her husband's whereabouts or whether he is living or dead," Attorney L. H. Beam, her counsel declares in a lengthy statement concerning the details of the case.

In his statement just made public, Beam says Mrs. Baker is guiltless of her husband's strange disappearance and cites the alleged "poison plot farewell letter" as a play in the case. He asserted Mrs. Baker has no facts to give the public which have not been submitted to authorities.

The "farewell letter" which Mrs. Baker received following her husband's disappearance and which was purported to have been written by Clark Baker and which has played a leading role in the investigation, was investigated by her attorneys.

"Mrs. Baker did not write the letter. The author was none other than the man who is missing," he said.

"Neither Mrs. Baker nor myself have any criticisms to offer toward any public authority having a part in this investigation. They are told to go as far as they liked. Mrs. Baker feels that their inquiry has been most thorough."

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### GRANT DR. HARDING PENSION OF \$72

WASHINGTON, April 17.—Dr. George T. Harding, of Marion, Ohio, father of the late President, Warren G. Harding, has been granted a pension of \$72 a month, the pension board informed Senator Frank B. Willis of Ohio today.

The pension will be retroactive to December 1, 1925 and is based on Dr. Harding's claim of total disability. In a statement accompanying his application, he said, he and lost 20 pounds within the past month.

Dr. Harding was a musician in Company I, 136th Ohio Infantry during the Civil War. Until recently he had been in Florida. He is now in Washington, the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Heber Votaw.

### THINK FUGITIVE CONVICTS CAUGHT

BUFFALO, N. Y., April 17.—Three men believed to be fugitives from the state penitentiary at Nashville, Tenn., were under arrest here today.

They were William Adams, 26, New York; Charles O'Neill, 35, and Edward Farnum, 22, Toledo, Ohio.

The men were picked up in a stolen car by the police automobile squad. The car was later identified as the property of C. L. Costello, Covington, Ky. It was stolen from that city April 11.

The trio was said to have escaped jail at Nashville with thirteen other prisoners after overpowering several guards on April 9.

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Some in the audience applauded the satire. Others assailed. A few, much disgusted, walked out.

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### HOME DESTROYED BY BLAZE WHEN MOTHER LEAVES ON ERRAND

Older Child Left In  
Charge Watches  
Holocaust

B. R. OOKFIELD, Trumbull County, O., April 17.—While their frantic mother stood by helpless, Alice May Swegger, 2, and Robert, her nine-months-old brother, were burned to death today when fire destroyed the Swegger home here.

Mrs. Swegger had left the child, while she went on an errand. She returned to find the house in flames and little Lucy, standing watching the blaze.

"I asked Alice to come out with me but she wouldn't," Lucy told her mother.

Robert, the baby was asleep in his crib when the fire broke out. Within fifteen minutes, the house, a three room bungalow had been razed.

Cause of the blaze has not been determined.

### DAYTON WOMAN WAS VICTIM OF ROBBERY

BALTIMORE, Md., April 17.—Mrs. Caroline Miller, of Dayton, Ohio, passenger on the Allegheny, Merchants and Miners liner, was robbed of \$200 in cash and \$800 in jewelry during the night, she reported to police when the ship docked today.

The passenger, bound from Florida to Baltimore informed police the valuables were stolen by a man who entered her stateroom.

On information concerning the burglary, police arrested Clyde Cason, quartermaster of the ship who, according to police, confessed the robbery and turned over most of the loot which had been hidden.

Jewelry worth \$150 was thrown overboard by Cason when he disposed of the purse in which the money and jewelry had been placed, the police said.

Cason was held in \$1,000 bail for grand jury action.

### WOMEN GATHER TO PROTEST STRIKES

LONDON, April 17.—Thousands of women were pouring into London today by special train and bus to participate in the world's first housewives "strike against strikes."

It was estimated that beds will not be made and dinners will not be cooked in 20,000 British homes today, because the wives were in London, parading with bands in an effort to show the real sufferers from strikes and labor troubles of all kinds are women and children.

The housewives parade started at 2 p. m. after slight delay in marshaling the 25,000 women who turned out for it. Hundreds of mounted and foot police guarded the line of march to prevent disorder. Not since the days of militant suffragettes has London seen so impressive a gathering of women.

### BOMB PLANTED BUT FAILS TO EXPLODE

CLEVELAND, O., April 17.—A man known to have a police record and an intimate knowledge of high explosives, is suspected of having planted a bomb in the center of the market district here.

The bomb was found late Friday afternoon in the Fred Schwartzberger Fish Company building by Stanley H. Smith, an employee. Schwartzberger said he had no trouble and had no known enemies.

The bomb which consisted of 13 1-2 sticks of dynamite buried in a cement covering would have broken every window in the downtown district and caused a large loss of life, according to police.

Three fuses attached to the bomb had burned out when they reached the cement covering.

### WILL REOPEN LAKE CARGO COAL CASE

WASHINGTON, April 17.—The Interstate Commerce Commission today decided to reopen the Lake Cargo Coal case to receive complaints of Western Pennsylvania and Ohio producers and carriers. No date was set for a hearing.

West Virginia operators and coal carrying railroads opposed a real opportunity to answer complaints that the present rates in the lake coal traffic are discriminatory.

LANCASTER, O., April 17.—E. A. Lawrence, Columbus engineer, has been engaged by County Commissioners to make the survey and estimate of costs of the sanitary sewer to be constructed on the Fairfield side of Buckeye Lake.

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\* SALE DATES RESERVED.  
\* Apr. 22.—Glen Weikert.  
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# SOCIAL - PERSONAL - CLUBS

MISS ALICE FOLEY—PHONE 70

## Society Casting Off Shackles Of King Winter To Respond To Lure Of Spring

Social events are now oftentimes looked on by women as they do their clothes—the drab, dull-colored affairs of winter are cast aside for more vivid coloring in spring.

Just as the young man's fancy is popularly supposed to turn to love, the hearts and minds of women gaily turn to clothes and social functions. Early days of the spring are given a more quiet tone during Lent but after the first brisk winds and uncertain weather of March and April, spirits begin to brighten and interesting plans are laid.

Few have been the real spring days so far this year but women have impatiently awaited the definite arrival of the warmer season and have gone ahead with spirited plans. True, the affairs have not been on an elaborate stage, but have been marked by many interesting gatherings and show a renewed awakening in more colorful events.

Winter is the club's season and members of various societies have obtained keen enjoyment from regular gatherings and the discussion of literature, business, charity, history and philanthropy.

The severance of the winter did not cool the ardor of club members and their meetings lent much to keeping the social spirit going. These same club women are now anxiously awaiting the arrival of the time when they can spend several hours a week on the golf course, at teas, luncheons and dinners. The first hint of warm sunshine and inviting breezes seems to suggest to every true feminine heart the approach of the time when she can wear fetching sport clothes, attractive afternoon and evening frocks. Women feel like the lowly cocoon in emerging from their shell of furs and dark-colored winter clothing to the pastel and vivid shades that herald spring and summer.

Thoughts of younger girls are turning to school frocks of lighter shades and graduation dresses are a problem to many. The shops are now beginning to display many lovely things for the graduate and for the young girls who appreciate the beauty of lighter wearing apparel.

The time is approaching when students will arrive home from school. With their advance, social affairs will live up and the dance floor will be thrown open more often and things will generally be more "peppy."

With the return of a number of Xenians, who spent the winter season in the South, West and other far-off points, the list of people who plan social affairs regularly has been augmented to its natural status. After spending several months in warmer climes their homecoming has been followed by eager plans for the spring and summer.

### Costumes Worn At Tea Time



The designer of this exotic costume describes it as a "pyjama tea gown." The material in bright tomato tint with plentiful gold edgings is quite brilliant.

### MAYOR'S COURT

**FIVE ARE FINED**  
Five motorists arrested by Motorcycle Policeman Peter Shagin Friday and Saturday, four charged with violation of the speed law, and one with driving past the red light of the automatic traffic regulating device at Main and Detroit Sts., were assessed fines and costs by Mayor John Prugh.

D. H. Vanwinkle, Washington C. H., was fined \$10 and costs, and Carl Foust, A. K. Stewart and J. A. Winters were each fined \$5 and costs for speeding by the mayor.

Frank P. Hastings was given a fine of \$1 and costs for failing to observe the red light.

### Aspirin Gargle in Sore Throat or Tonsillitis

Prepare a harmless and effective gargle by dissolving two "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" in four tablespoonfuls of water. Gargle throat thoroughly. Repeat in two hours if necessary.

Be sure you use only the genuine Bayer Aspirin, marked with the Bayer Cross, which can be had in tin boxes of twelve tablets for few cents. —Adv.

## HE IS COUNTY COMMISSIONER'S SON



This sturdy youngster is Joseph E. Eavey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Eavey, Wilmington Pike. Joseph is just past two years of age and is an unusually vivacious boy.

Officers of W. R. C. will meet at Post Hall, Monday at 12:30 p. m., to rehearse ritualistic work. The corps will have charge of services for Mrs. Alla Yoe, Monday at 2 o'clock.

Officers of Central Parent-Teacher Association will be elected at the monthly meeting in the school auditorium, Monday at 3 p. m. Mrs. Arthur Perrill, who is in charge of the meeting, desires a large attendance.

Miss Arametta McGinnis, Delaware, O., will be the week end guest of Miss Lois Benbow, N. Galloway St. Miss McGinnis and Miss Benbow were roommates at Ohio Wesleyan University.

Mrs. D. E. Spahr, Springfield Pike, has been ill several days with grip but has recovered.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bair, W. Second St., are announcing the birth of a son, Saturday morning.

Mrs. George McClain, W. Main St., is confined to her home with a severe attack of neuritis.

Mr. John A. Harner, Lower Bellbrook Pike, who has been seriously ill the past two weeks with grip, does not show much improvement.

Mrs. W. E. Pitzer is seriously ill with pneumonia at her home on Xenia Ave. She is the wife of Mr. W. E. Pitzer, manager of the Western Union Telegraph Co., this city.

Mr. David Wead, who was painfully injured when he fell from a ladder while at work at the J. C. Penny Store, this city, several days ago, was able to leave the Essey Hospital and return to his home in Yellow Springs Saturday.

Mrs. Oscar Sims, Jr., has returned to her home in Cincinnati, after spending the week-end in Xenia as the house guest of Miss Trina Stiles, Cincinnati Ave.

Mr. Howard Norris, Hill St., is spending the week-end in Newark, O., with his daughter, Mrs. Frank Land and family.

### AMUNDSEN ARRIVES AT NORWAY PORT

TROMSOE, Norway, April 17.—Roald Amundsen and Lincoln Ellsworth have arrived and will proceed to King's Bay, Spitzbergen at once.

The explorers expect to be joined by their Polar dirigible, the Norge, soon after arriving at King's Bay whence they will take off for the flight across the pole to Alaska.

The Norge now is in Leningrad awaiting word to proceed to King's Bay.

### COMING EVENTS BRIEFLY TOLD

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**MONDAY**  
Phi Delta Kappa.  
Xenia S. P. O.  
B. P. O. E.  
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**TUESDAY**  
K. of C.  
Obed D. of A.  
Moose Legion.  
Xenia I. O. O. F.  
Rotary.  
Kiwanis.  
**WEDNESDAY**  
Church Prayer Meets.  
K. of P.  
K. of P.  
Moose.  
**THURSDAY**  
Red Men.  
F. of X. D. of A.  
Rebekahs.  
W. R. C.  
**FRIDAY**  
Eagles.  
Maccabees.  
Royal Neighs.

**SAFE DYNAMITED**  
COLUMBUS, O., April 17.—Bandits dynamited the safe in the National Biscuit Co. offices here during the night and escaped with \$1,000 it was discovered today.

**JUDGE SELECTED**  
JACKSON, O., April 17.—Miss Kate M. Camins, of Portsmouth, has been selected to adjudicate the drawing and penmanship for the Elstodoff, which is to be held at Jackson this year on October 1.

The Tineher bill provides a revolving relief fund for handling farm surpluses and an "omnibus" farm board with wide powers in handling agriculture problems.

## "MATRIMONIAL VACATION," NEW VIOLET DARE STORY STARTS NOW

Violet Dare, whose charming serial stories have attracted a wide following among readers of this newspaper, has chosen a unique subject for her newest story, which starts in this paper today.

"My Matrimonial Vacation" is the title of the new story, first installment of which will be found on page eight of today's paper, and it is an entrancing prelude to adventures in and out of matrimony.

Miss Dare, who has a happy faculty in plot choice, in that she chooses timely and important subjects of domestic existence which have not been treated upon in story form before, has woven a novel here that will not only pass as entertaining reading but will inspire serious thought.

Convinced that her absent husband no longer loves her, the heroine of "My Matrimonial Vacation" takes advantage of the furlough in wedded life to adopt a singularly cynical view of life and to wreak her vengeance on men in general because her own romance has been disappointing.

The author has won considerable applause not only on her uncanny ability to lay plots close to real life but because she has a particularly adroit method of handling these plots. This paper believes its many readers will find the new story one of her best. It is illustrated by Marguerite Neal.

Edward Strain, former Xenian, died at his home in Logan, O., Friday night, relatives here learned Saturday. Death was caused by paralysis, from which Mr. Strain has suffered some time.

The Strain family moved from Xenia several years ago after residing here some time. Besides his widow, who was before marriage Miss Rosa John, this city, Mr. Strain leaves one son, Charles Strain, Logan, O., and three daughters, Mrs. Gertrude Risley, Logan; Mrs. Luella Lane, Columbus and Mrs. Edna Rogers, Columbus.

Remains were taken to Columbus to the home of Mr. Strain's daughter, Mrs. Frances Lane, where funeral services will be held Monday.

### FARM RELIEF BILL WILL BE PASSED

WASHINGTON, April 17.—Administration action to pass a farm relief bill—the first positive step of this session of congress—was taken today when Rep. Tilson, Connecticut, Republican house leader predicted after a conference with President Coolidge that the Tineher farm relief bill would be passed.

Tilson, whose word in determining the activities of the house majority is deemed law, said it was not probable that any other legislation could be enacted.

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## Petty Personal Dislikes Often Crop Out In Wills Court Attaches Declare

That a man may live his full three score and ten years without revealing the inmost secrets of his nature, but when he dies these concealed characteristics are almost sure to come to light, is the opinion of Deputy Probate Judge Allegra E. Hawes.

Miss Hawes handles many estates and wills every year. In these wills, she finds, are usually expressed the little dislikes, the trivial peculiarities and perhaps the petty animosities of a whole life time.

"I imagine," she stated, "that a great many of the people who die leave wills. Making a will is a simple matter and people are being educated to the practice."

Yet sometimes, it is found, they fail to make a will for a definite reason. According to the law, if a man dies intestate, his property is disposed of by law. Heirs have no chance to quarrel.

A will on the other hand, the court finds, is likely to cause trouble among those whose names are included or those whose names are omitted. Some people, therefore, to avoid trouble, simply neglect to make a will.

"Only a comparatively small portion of all wills are contested and over a period of the past ten years, I do not know of more than

about two dozen," declared Miss Hawes.

Sometimes people do queer things in their wills, according to the deputy probate judge. This has always been a favorite device of the fiction writer, and some of



the bequests made in actual life are as grotesque as those of the novel, it is said.

But in a county such as Greene County, these queer wills are rare, Miss Hawes says. Such documents are more often encountered in places where people live isolated, lonely brooding lives.

"Yet a will frequently reveals

the testator's nature," declares Miss Hawes. One will of my experience showed the maker, a woman, valued small trinkets. She bequeathed certain silver spoons, silver knives and forks, the old family Bible and other little, individual things such as pictures to certain relatives. Markings on the silverware were even described to complete identification.

Often relatives, blissfully ignorant of the true feelings of one of their family, are shocked and surprised by the will he leaves. They say 'He must not have been in his right mind. He would never have done that.' But usually the man was in his right mind. He was merely revealing long-concealed feelings in his last act on earth.

A will offers a splendid opportunity for safely paying off a grudge against some relative, but this type has not come to my attention.

Recently a Texas woman left her old horse and buggy to the town for the use of the children. A woman in New England left an estate totalling millions of dollars for the founding of a home for



wild animals, where they would be safe from the guns of hunters. Many such bequests bestow upon heirs gifts that prove to be "white elephants" but they are usually interesting because of the last deep insight into the nature of the deceased which they afford.

## REQUESTS TRANSFER OF DAMAGE ACTION TO FEDERAL COURTS

Application has been filed in Common Pleas Court by Matthews and Matthews law firm, to have the \$50,000 damage suit of Mrs. Helen Thorne, as administratrix of the estate of Floyd Thorne, deceased, against the Pennsylvania Railroad Co., transferred to United States District Court of Southern Ohio at Dayton.

Application has not been submitted to Common Pleas Judge R. L. Gowdy.

Move of the defense counsel is based on the law under which all actions for more than \$3,000 may be transferred to federal court if either party is a non-resident.

Pennsylvania Railroad Co. is considered a non-resident and the case will probably not go to trial in Greene County.

Suit of Mrs. Thorne, widow of Floyd Thorne, is a sequel to a grade crossing accident at Selma January 23 in which Thorne was almost instantly killed when the truck he was driving was struck by a west bound train. Railroad is charged with negligence and carelessness. C. L. Darlington and F. L. John, son are attorneys for the plaintiff.

### CINCINNATI PIKE BIDS CANCELLED

Bidding on the remodeling work of a stretch of .675 mile of the Columbus and Cincinnati Pike through Spring Valley, scheduled to be opened by the state highway department Friday, was cancelled, according to Columbus dispatches.

No reason for the cancellation has been given, and County Commissioners are without information on the subject. No date for re-opening of bids has been set.

Contracts for improvement of the remaining eight miles of the road from the Xenia corporation line to the Warren County line have already been let and work begun.

Bids on the Spring Valley stretch are expected to be received soon and the contract let within ten days later as the work must be completed by July.

## The Theatre

Never before, to our knowledge, has the theater public, the publicity men and the hard-shelled screen reviewers been so unanimous in the choice of a "find" as in the case of Dolores Costello.

The far-sightedness of Warner Bros., has been a source of regret to other producers, who failed to see the value of this young actress. It is said one company negligently let her literally slip through their fingers after making a few pictures and she was quickly contracted by Warner Bros.

This reviewer is particularly interested in Miss Costello, since we are a devotee of her father, Maurice Costello, one of the most polished actors the film firmament of earlier years. Her ability lent much to making early efforts of Vitagraph live through the years. He is still seen in minor roles but he can rest content with the knowledge that his laurels have been passed on to his charming daughter.

Miss Costello has been unanimously acclaimed the "newest and brightest star in the movie heavens." "Never before has a screen player been as spontaneously lifted to the pedestal of stardom as this beautiful and fascinating daughter of Maurice Costello, famous star of the old Vitagraph days," enthuses one reviewer.

Unfortunately, none of Miss Costello's pictures have appeared in Xenia and we are anxiously awaiting their release here. Her successes include "The Sea Beast" with John Barrymore, "The Little Irish Girl" and "The Bride of the Storm." In the pictures in which she has appeared in important roles, leading critics throughout the country singled her out for the most lavish praise.

She has built up a following of admirers overnight. And her popularity is not because she is "a daughter of her father" but because of her own, natural ability, we think.

Prologue to the opening act was written by the Misses Bertha Hyman and Mary Wilson. Class song in which the entire cast joined in singing after the play was written by Miss Bertha Hyman.

Forty Springfield Kiwanians and their wives are expected by Xenia Kiwanis Club, to attend the dinner meeting at Central High School, Tuesday evening.

Wives of local Kiwanians will attend the party and will take part in a program of "stunts" arranged. Dinner will be served at 6 o'clock, followed by dancing.

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### STARTS SENTENCE

Facing twenty days in the County Jail upon a conviction several months ago for recording wagers on race horses, Bruce Leveck, Jamestown, entered upon his sentence Friday.

Albert Smith, convicted of the same charge, began a similar sentence the previous day.

### EAGLES FESTIVAL CLOSES SATURDAY

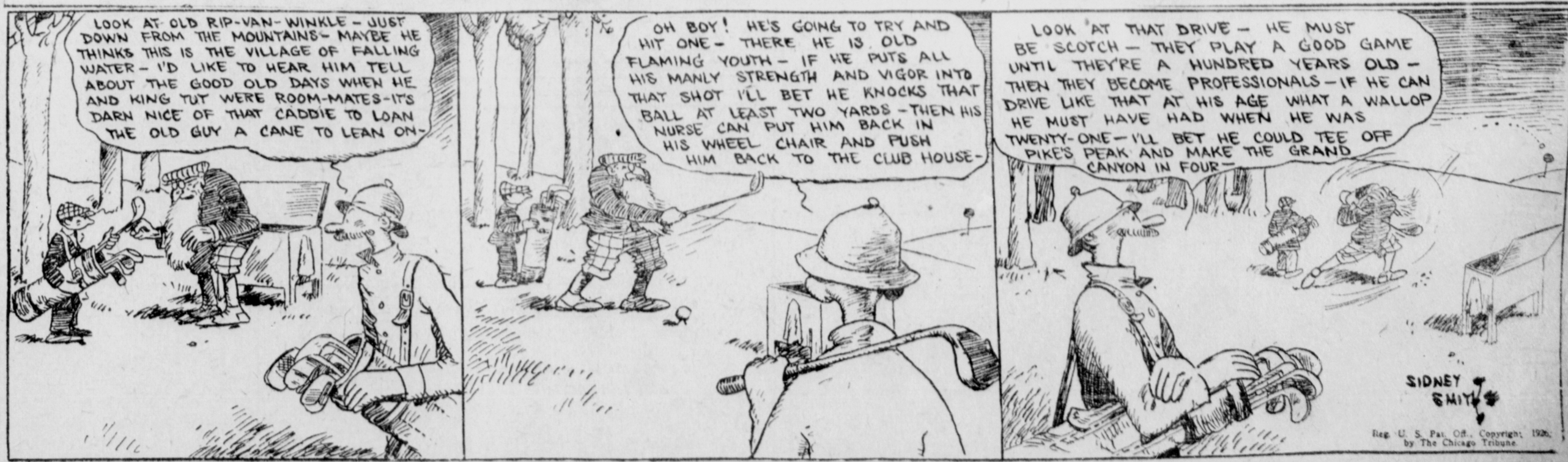
Seven days of fun and entertainment will come to a close Saturday night when the spring festival sponsored by Xenia Aerie, Fraternal Order of Eagles, will end.

Xenians anticipate Saturday night will prove the most enjoyable in point of entertainment and amusement of any previous evening this week.

Festival has been the most successful of any like carnival in the history of the order. Favored by good weather throughout the week, crowds attending each night have exceeded even expectations of the festival committee and the carnival may be made an annual affair.

Dancers will have their last opportunity to enjoy the music of the Harmony Kings Saturday night and the orchestra promises to work in some of its best feature and specialty numbers.

## THE GUMPS—YOUTH MUST BE SERVED



SIDNEY SMITH

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HOW TROUBLE STARTS

IT is easy to understand the shooting of Mussolini, but not so easy to understand how things like that spread and become internationally serious.

Aside from the fact that Mussolini has been a strong performer, exceedingly dictatorial, free and fearless in the use of his power—and aside from all that this conduct means in the stirring-up of prejudices and animosities which can produce explosions, there is another explanation of the shooting.

The woman who did the shooting was, apparently, "off balance," a sensation hunter in the beginning, a baiter of policemen and magistrates, a follower of crusades, and, finally, a disturbed mentality capable of homicide if the mental and nervous strain were strong enough.

Similar things have happened in this country. But it is important to note that the last conspicuous happening of his kind in Europe cost the world four years of war, and a disturbance which will not be settled for generations to come.

It is scarcely thinkable that an adjustment by England for any crime committed by an English subject could fail to settle all reasonable demands of morality and justice. Respect for law is too strong in England to permit any condonation of violation of the law by English hands elsewhere. So the situation is not quite parallel to that of Sarajevo in 1914, but it is well to remember that from a fool's shot at a ruler, in 1914, came the death of millions, and the money sacrifice of billions—all because of lack of proportion and sense of values in the backgrounds against which the disturbance echoed.

CATS AND DOGS

A zoologist has observed that cats are just as intelligent as dogs, but flatter their human masters less, so attract less attention and are considered not as intelligent as their ancient canine enemies. Cats, he says, care only for places; to persons they are different. With dogs the person and not the place is the thing.

As a generality there may be some truth in this, but exceptions on both sides are readily recalled. There are obsequious cats and utterly aloof felines and not all dogs are friendly and affectionate.

The cat is far less ready to forget and forgive unkind or brutal treatment than are most dogs, but that, while it may not be exactly noble, is not a sign of stupidity.

From the human point of view the cat's worst trait is her incurable yearning to catch and kill birds, but then there is the dog's irresistible impulse to chew cat fur. Some dogs have utilitarian value. Cats serve mankind by protecting his property and stores from rodents. Birds, as the natural enemy of insects and other pests, are indispensable to man.

Many more animal generations of regular feeding from the hand of man will be necessary to stifle the cat's hunger for the bird and the dog's hunger for the cat.

LUTHER BURBANK

THE world is distinctly poorer today because of the loss of Luther Burbank.

Not only has he left us many wonderful and practical "inventions" in the plant world but his life should be a real inspiration to others.

Practically all his work was done in a field which theoretically did not exist at the time of his birth. The world said there are just so many kind of plants and that's all there is to it. Luther Burbank literally opened a new field of useful endeavor, a field of almost unlimited possibilities it seems.

The world already owes much to him and coming generations will increase the debt.

Electric Chair? Wodda I Care!



Richard Daunt, sixteen, youngest of the so-called "cake eater" bandit gang to be tried for the murder of a Jamaica, L. I., restaurant keeper during a hold-up, is supremely indifferent to his trial. "Aw, wodda I care," is Dick's attitude. Herbert Koerber, another of the gang, already has been convicted and faces sentence to death in the electric chair. Daunt is seen here with his guard.

Another California Giant Passes



1906-Twenty Years Ago-1926

A report has been received of a severe earthquake which wrecked many buildings in San Francisco this morning.

Street committee of city council—Messrs. Arbogust Binder, Hawkins, Conklin, and Alexander, City Engineer O. A. McKay and Charles Darlington went to Richmond, Ind. to probe the matter of asphalt paving.

Mr. Richard Conrad, owner of Fargo Mineral Springs plant, this city, and eight other establishments of this kind, was in Xenia arranging for summer business.

Fritz Haller, employed at the shoe factory, is disabled owing to a severe injury to one of his fingers received while operating some of the machinery.

Mr. Arthur Kelly returned to Cleveland after a short visit in Xenia.

Efficient Housekeeping

TOMORROW'S MENU

Breakfast	Bananas	Cereal	Boiled Eggs	Coffee	Toast
Dinner	Broiled Steak	Mashed Potatoes	Lettuce Salad	Strawberry Shortcake	Coffee
Supper	Waffles	Fruit Salad	Sirup	Cake	Tea

THE EVEN-TEMPERED HOUSE-KEEPER

I know of no profession which calls for more self-control than housekeeping. When we are darting about our kitchen (of course we should not "dart," but sometimes do) it is so easy to give rein to overwrought nerves and emit a reckless remark or a sharp word.

A few days ago I was in a friend's kitchen, chatting with her as she did her baking. Her grocer boy appeared at the porch door with a basket full of groceries. "Put them here," suggested my friend, clearing the kitchen table, then turning quickly back to her oven. The boy left the groceries, went out the door—but left the door open behind him.

"You should close doors!" my friend called after him, impulsively.

The youth turned and murmured an apology—but there was a burning resentment in his eyes. He, too, was rushing around at his work, carrying a burden of trying to get through his delivering before five o'clock. Being young, he "forgot." No doubt he thought a housekeeper should make allowances, especially as the day was not cold. He had pulled in some other business, perhaps—an influential citizen of the town. It was also easy to imagine my friend in a position to ask a favor of the man whom she had offended as a boy. But early impressions are tenacious. That boy had catalogued my friend for life in his brain as "that sharp-tongued woman."

Just Folks

BY EDGAR A. GUEST

THRILLS

I hear some pleasure-seeker say: "I haven't had a thrill today." So much of late the word is used. By many a careless lip abused. A thrill is only born of drink. That some, I fear, begin to think Or bordering so close to sin That dizzy heads must topple in.

Now thrills there are of various kinds To suit the many sorts of minds. And one can feel his pulses beat With pleasure gloriously sweet. For life is not so flat and tame That thrills must only come from shame.

For many a thrill of splendor From beautiful and lovely things springs.

I've felt my pulses thrill to see The blossoms on an apple tree; The martins back once more to take The house I've reared for friend-ship's sake.

A robin on my window sill Gives me a summer morning thrill; While every friend along the way Always has something new to say.

I feel a tingle of delight To romp with those I love at night. Within my baby's laughing eyes A thrill that's most entrancing lies.

I need no stimulus to see The joy of life, whatever it be; So many charms God's bounty spills, I'd say the world is full of thrills.

CAESARCREEK HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

The boys' and girls' basketball teams were banqueted Tuesday evening by the parents and people of the community. Letters were presented the following players for having participated in at least half of their teams play. Boys—Forrest Ellis, (Captain), Robert St. John, Donald St. John, Elden Heinz, Harry Pickering, Bernard Steele, Edgar Grav-

NOTICE

Having moved into my own residence  
136 WEST MAIN ST.  
TELEPHONE 304

will also move my headquarters and telephone to residence discontinuing telephone calls at Main 563, No. 123 S. Detroit St. Xenia. Dayton Office and Depot 109 McDonough St., Telephone Garfield 535. All telephone calls and orders properly taken care of. Your goods insured while in transit PUCO No. 573.

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The best oil ring on the market. Get 1000 miles from your oil, by installing a set of these rings. The cost is very moderate in comparison with the oil saving.

SWIGART BROTHERS

East Second St.

EVERY TUESDAY Is Calf Day With Us

What have you? We can use stags and a few aged boars. Call 626 and ask for Steele, before 9:00 o'clock Monday morning.

DAVIDS & STEEL

In the News of Today



HENRY MILLER



WILLIAM GREEN



SENATOR WILLIS



GOVERNOR BLAINE

Henry Miller, noted actor, died in New York. William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor, placed the organization on record in favor of beer. Governor Blaine, of Wisconsin, began his campaign against Senator Lenroot for the Republican Senatorial nomination. Senator Willis, of Ohio, was opposed for the G. O. P. Senatorial nomination by Judge Florence Allen, the only woman ever to sit on the Ohio Supreme Court bench.

Today's Talk

LITTLE ENOUGH

It is only when the brave and simple nobility of some unheard of one shames us that we come to realize how really unimportant and useless we are.

No matter how hard we try to be somebody or to do something worth while, it is little enough. We shuttle too much through this life.

Ideals don't always have the gold rays of the sun upon them.

Often they are darkened by the clouds of a storm. But it is our faith—that comes from somewhere—that leads us always and eventually into the light again.

No matter what we do for others no matter how we try to make this world a little happier, it is little enough.

We can never be too kind, never do too much to make the way of some one else less difficult, never give too much of love.

The world is full of cravers. The hunger of the heart, of the soul, is a far nobler hunger than ever that of the body.

When the rain falls and the winds blow, adding gloom and loneliness, it is little enough to go out of your way to do something that will put a light into the window of a life darkened by discouragement and loss.

How just a little bunch of white daisies changes all!

For Rent  
Modern Upstairs Apartment  
Close In  
See  
D.R.A.C. MESSENGER  
Cor. 2nd and Detroit

EXPECT GOVERNOR

URBANA, O., Apr. 17.—Gov. Donahy is expected to attend the Jefferson Day banquet to be held here April 21.

AVIATORS START ON LONG FLIGHT

Six aviators of the Fairfield Intermediate Depot and Bolling Field, Washington, hopped off Friday on the first leg of a 2,200 mile flight to Santa Monica, Calif.

Group is expected to reach its destination within four or five days, making the trip in easy stages in a Douglas transport.

Each flyer will make the return trip from the Pacific coast city in a new Douglas O-2 plane, built for the army air service at the Douglas factories.

Party includes Captain Pascale and Lieut. William J. Hanlon, and four pilots from Bolling Field.

MODISH MITZI—Aunt Sophia Makes Both Ends Meet Anyway BY J. V. JAY



Aunt Sophia is frowning over her accounts. The total seems impossible but not improbable. It's formidable. Its devastating. Where's the summer vacation that she was planning. Well, she will have to economize. Not another frock this season. The one she wears is a redingote style. The scarf collar is becoming.

Mitzi has lured Aunt Sophia shopping with her. Aunt Sophia, by the way is wearing a coat of charmeen—navy blue—of course, because it is so smart. Long lines because they give a slender effect. Capes because they are exceedingly popular this season.



Mitzi is telling Aunt Sophia how good looking this frock of georgette will be on her. It's so smart too, scallops and jumper are well combined—two popular features. Aunt Sophia has half a mind to try it on. Well Mitzi makes up the other half and the dress is bought.

It has suddenly dawned upon Aunt Sophia that she has misused, nay broken her resolution for economy. How will she make both ends meet? Dad, of course, saves the situation! He's just suggested that he send Mitzi (and Aunt Sophia of course, must arrange to go with her) on a little trip abroad, or to Canada! Will she? Will she?

## ANTIOCH ENTERED IN ANNUAL RELAY EVENTS SATURDAY

Drawings for the third annual Ohio Relays carnival at the Ohio stadium Saturday were held Friday night at the closing session of the athletic season sponsored by Ohio State University for Ohio college and high school track coaches at Columbus.

Antioch College has entered sprint teams in the one-mile relay and medley relay for Class B colleges. Coach Earl Prugh's team drew number 2 lane in the one-mile relay and will be opposed by teams of Bowling Green State Normal, Otterbein and Bluffton, according to the drawings.

In the medley relay, Antioch also drew number 2 lane, Ball Teachers, Bowling Green Normal and Otterbein will furnish the opposition in this race.

Wilberforce University has entered a team in the half-mile relay and will run in heat number 2. It drew lane number five. Schiag State Normal, Cincinnati, Otterbein, Ohio and Muskingum are also entered.

Cedarville has entered teams in the sprint medley relay and mile relay.

## FOOTBALL FORWARD PASS NOT DOOMED RULES CHIEF SAYS

COLUMBUS, April 17.—The football forward pass is not doomed and fans need not fear being deprived of the thrill of the last minute aerial attack just a few seconds before the final whistle blows.

E. K. Hall, New York, chairman of the National Football Rules committee, expressed this opinion here in discussing the newly inaugurated rules, providing penalty for unsuccessful attempts at aerial gains.

"This new rule is not aimed at team possessing a legitimate well executed forward pass attack," Hall declared. "The rule provides for five yard penalties for unsuccessful forward passes after an initial incomplete pass in any one series of downs."

"It is designed to discourage indiscriminate hurling of passes by an eleven which seeks this method as a last resort for scoring when time will not permit of another type of attack or as a method of killing time," Hall explained.

In the opinion of Hall the new rule should "really improve the free pass style of play by placing a penalty on poor forward passing tendency on poor forward passing tendency and ill-timed aerial offensives."

"Possibility of a penalty through an incomplete pass is not so great a hazard as the possibility of a pass being intercepted by an opposing player," Hall said.

## HOW THEY STAND

NATIONAL LEAGUE		
	W	L
Philadelphia	3	1
St. Louis	3	1
CINCINNATI	2	1
New York	2	1
Brooklyn	1	2
Chicago	1	2
Pittsburgh	1	3
Boston	1	3

Yesterday's Results.  
Cincinnati 2, Chicago 1.  
New York 3, Brooklyn 2.  
Boston 6, Philadelphia 5.  
St. Louis 3, Pittsburgh 1.

Games Today.  
Chicago at St. Louis.  
Pittsburgh at Cincinnati.  
Boston at New York.  
Brooklyn at Philadelphia.

AMERICAN LEAGUE		
	W	L
Chicago	3	0
Washington	3	1
New York	2	1
CLEVELAND	2	1
Detroit	1	1
Boston	1	2
Philadelphia	1	3
St. Louis	0	3

Yesterday's Results.  
Detroit 5, Cleveland 3.  
New York 3, Boston 2.  
Washington 4, Philadelphia 3.  
Chicago 5, St. Louis 1.

Games Today.  
St. Louis at Detroit.  
Cleveland at Chicago.  
New York at Washington.  
Philadelphia at Boston.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION		
	W	L
Minneapolis	4	0
Indianapolis	3	0
Louisville	3	0
TOLEDO	2	1
St. Paul	2	1
Kansas City	0	3
Milwaukee	0	3
COLUMBUS	0	4

Yesterday's Results.  
Toledo 9, St. Paul 6.  
Minneapolis 13, Columbus 4.  
Louisville 7, Milwaukee 4.  
Indianapolis 8, Kansas City 7.

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## BOWLING

William Horner again snatched the leadership of the Class A division city bowling tournament when he came from behind to win the odd game in a three-game series from Howard Donley Friday night.

Previous to the match, Donley and Horner were deadlocked in a tie for top position. It was Donley's first defeat of the tournament.

Harry Jordan defeated William Moorehead two games in three in a Class C match, the only other games of the evening.

Class A Results.  
Donley 182 160 159  
B. Horner 172 188 184

Class C Results.  
Moorehead 162 189 173  
H. Jordan 195

## WICAL UNABLE TO PITCH OPENER FOR TEAM HERE SUNDAY

Because he has received a hurried call to re-join his team at Chambersburg, Pa., Thurman Wical will be unable to pitch the opening game for the Bowersville Rayfords against the Xenia Reserve baseball team Sunday afternoon at Washington Park, it is announced.

Wical was scheduled to oppose Curt Free on the mound before leaving for Chambersburg in a week and fans were all set to witness a pitcher's battle.

Rather than disappoint local diamond enthusiasts, the Rayfords have signed up a well known Cincinnati pitcher, who will hurl the Sunday contest for the visitors. The slab artist in question is said to have pitched against the Cincinnati Reds National League baseball club, on several occasions.

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## PAROCHIAL SCHOOL ATHLETIC BODY IS FORMED AT MEETING

The Southwest Ohio Parochial Athletic Association is now a reality.

Representative managers of the organization met Friday night at St. Joseph High School, Springfield, and arranged football schedules for the coming season.

Schools represented were, St. Mary, Urbana; Holy Angels High, Sidney; and St. Bernard, St. Raphael and St. Joseph, Springfield.

St. Brigid High, Xenia, was represented at the conference but declined to book games since it is problematical whether the locals will have a football eleven next season.

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## GRAND JURY PROBES FORGERY CHARGES AGAINST 2 YOUTHS

Willard Williams, 21, this city, alleged accomplice of Ervin Shoemaker, 19, Xenia, arrested Thursday morning by Xenia police after evading capture for three weeks, waived preliminary examination and pleaded not guilty to a forgery charge before Mayor E. P. West, Wilmington, and was bound over to the grand jury, which meets Monday.

He is charged with passing a forged check for \$10 to J. E. Mann, Wilmington, March 13. Shoemaker, who pleaded guilty to a similar charge March 19 and was bound over to the grand jury in Wilmington, implicated Williams in a statement to police.

Shoemaker is in the Clinton County Jail in default of \$1,000 bond. Shoemaker was arrested in Wilmington following an unsuccessful effort to cash a forged check at the H. C. Sprinkle grocery. Williams escaped and managed to elude authorities of three cities until his arrest at his parents' home Thursday.

The two youths, according to Shoemaker's confession, gave a "cold" check for \$10 to J. E. Mann March 13 in payment for a jack-knife, and a second for \$20 at the W. P. McDermott grocery for a small purchase.

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## FIVE BEST RADIO FEATURES

WEAF, New York, (492), and WFI, WSAI, 8:25 p. m. EST—The Bach 3 minor mass.

KGO, Oakland, (361), 8:10 p. m. PCST.—Operetta Count of Luxembourg.

WEEL, Boston, (349), 8:10 p. m. EST.—Boston Symphony Orchestra.

WSB, Atlanta, (428), 10:45 p. m. CST.—Red Head Club.

WOC, Davenport (484), 10:00 p. m. CST.—Travelogue on "Alaska."

WEAF Hook up 9:15 p. m. EST. Frances A. Soprano and John Corigan, Violinist.

WHO, Kansas City, 3:56-4 p. m. CST. Address Sinclair Lewis.

WEAF Hook up 7:30 p. m. EST. Capitol Theater Program.

WCCO, Minneapolis-St. Paul, 4:16-9:30 p. m. CST. Organ recital.

WHO, Des Moines, 5:26-4 p. m. CST. Hartley Municipal Band.

WEAF, NEW YORK, 492 and WCAP, Washington, 469, 8 p. m. EST. Address President Coolidge's D. A. R. annual meeting.

EST. Opera "The Mikado."

WJZ, New York, 4:54, 7:40 p. m. EST. Address Robert J. Bender, General News manager United Press.

WEAF, Hook up—10 p. m. EST. W. E. A. F. Grand Opera Co. in Mozart's Opera, "The Marriage of Figaro." WEAF, WOO, WCAE, WJAR, WCAP, WTAC, WTIC, WATL, WSAI.



By HENRY FARRELL

NEW YORK, April 14.—George Sisler is one of the hardest young men in baseball to lure into conversation and when it comes to making predictions he is as noisy as a mute.

"How about your club this season?" the youthful manager of the St. Louis Browns was asked some time back in the training camp.

"We're alright," Sisler replied. "Some of the critics say you're sure a two-way shot."

"That's very nice of them," he replied at length.

"Are you stronger than last year?"

"I think so," he replied.

After the most laborious cross-examination it was finally drawn out of him that the Browns are improved this year by the finding of Oscar Melillo, a sensational rookie infielder, by the addition of the veterans Tom Zachary and Wally Schang and by the improvement observed in Durst, a young outfielder.

Like every other manager of a prominent contender, Sisler feels that the success of the team in the American League pennant race depends largely on the breaks and the pitching staff.

The Browns didn't have any of the best of luck last season and they were crippled through most of the season by serious injuries.

Most everyone who has seen the Browns this spring was impressed by the class and the spirit of the club. "Sisler," a prominent umpire said, "is a manager row instead of a player. By that I mean he is handling the club with the viewpoint of a manager and he is getting results."

Sisler had no club rules. It lets the players play what they want and to largely as they wish during off hours as long as they remain in condition to play baseball.

The team was full of hustle in the training camp and there was a very noticeable atmosphere of confidence in the players.

Sisler's biggest problem will be the selection of the proper infield. There is no weakness but on the other hand too much strength.

Melillo fielded so brilliantly and hit so hard in the training games that he couldn't be kept out of the game. There was no room for him at second with Marty McManus playing there and Gene Robertson is too good a third baseman to be kept out of the game.

Robertson, however, is not of the hustling type and it may be that Sisler will have to move McManus over to third base and use Melillo at second. The chances are that Robertson, with competition threatening his job, may put a little more spirit in his game.

With Walter Gerber around, the shortstop position is in good hands and Sisler is the best first baseman in baseball so there are no infield worries.

The outfield also has plenty of offensive and defensive strength in Harry Rice, the biggest find of years, Kenneth Williams, Doll Jacobson, Durst and Bennett. Williams was in poor health last year and had a poor season but he

## COUNTY CAMP QUOTA SIXTEEN CHAIRMAN INFORMS PROSPECTS

While enrollment for the Citizens' Military Training Camps in Ohio has not made the rapid strides that it did last year, Dr. H. C. Messenger, Greene County chairman, expressed confidence that Greene County will reach its quota of sixteen, the scheduled time for closing the campaign.

The C. M. T. C. which has become an essential element in the national defense system as expressed by congress, originated in 1913. First students were university men. Then in the World War brought to light 50 per cent of young Americans had physical defects, and Americans, facing this fact, appealed to congress after the war to establish camps on a national scale.

The training camps plan was incorporated by congress as one of the important features of the national defense act. President Wilson approved the bill establishing them in 1920.

Camp Knox, Ky., is located thirty-one miles southeast of Louisville on the Illinois Central Railroad and on the Dixie Highway between Chicago and New Orleans. It is one of the largest military reservations in the country, comprising 33,000 acres.

Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind., is a modern army post of brick and stone, located eleven miles north-east of Indianapolis. It is the second military post in the state of Indiana to bear the name of the old soldier-statesman family.

Fort Thomas, Ky., is within easy reach of Cincinnati, Newport, Covington, Latonia and lesser towns. It overlooks the Ohio river and is adjacent to a small town known also as Fort Thomas. Because of its location, Fort Thomas is known as a show place to tourists.

Ample opportunity for play, recreation and entertainment is provided. Athletics, including group games, field and track sports, and mass play have a large and important place in the training program.

Service clubs, under supervision of competent personnel, are operated at each camp. Parents and friends are urged to visit these camps and personally observe candidates at work and play.

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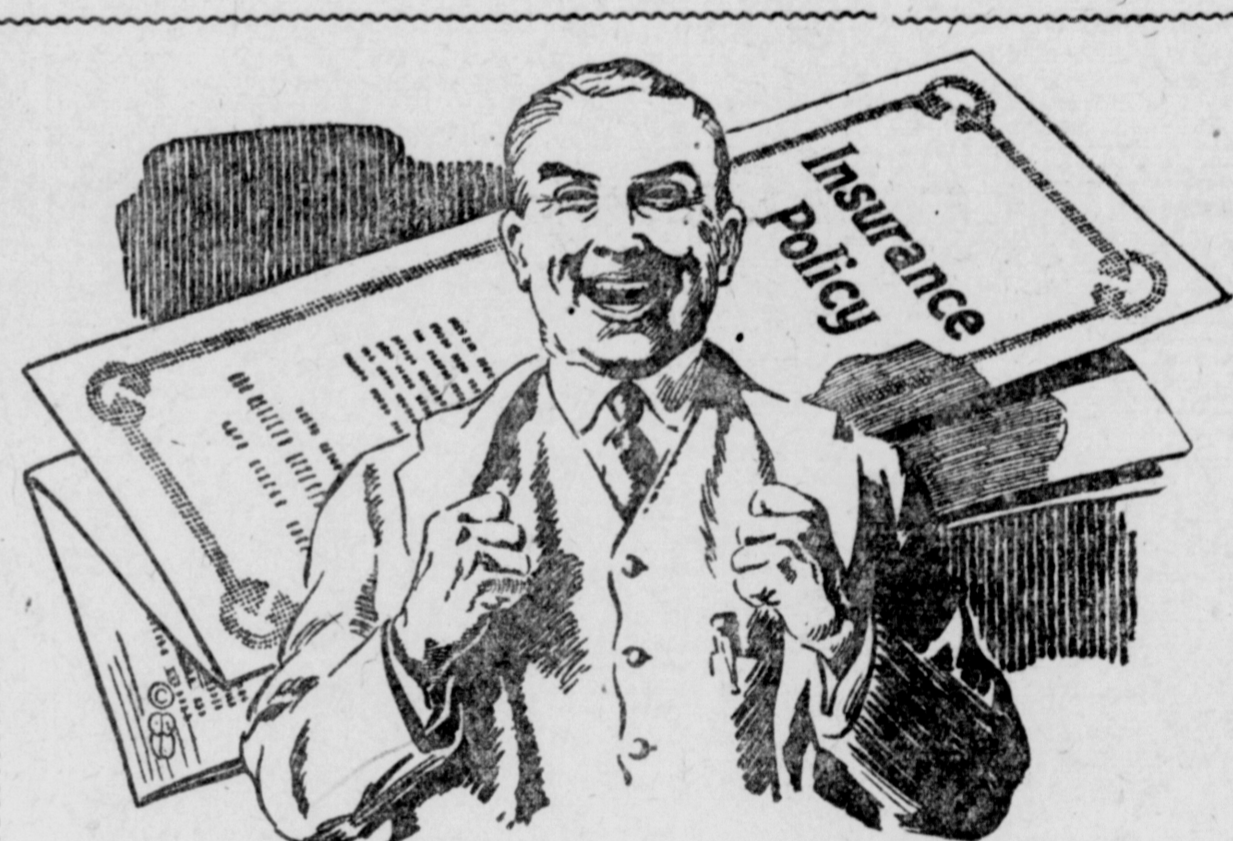
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THE PASSING OF "BILL" CHAMPION, THE SAGE OF STRINGTOWN, RECALLED TO MIND

BY OLIVER WATSON

Bill's advent into the world was marked with no great convulsion of nature or other phenomenon. His demise, however, was more noticeable, but while the banking houses of Bellbrook and Spring Valley were more or less shaken as a result, the larger money centers of the world experienced little or no embarrassment.

His mission on earth was never clear to the thousands with whom he commingled during his earthly sojourn. There was, therefore, much speculation as to the section in life he was created to fill. As a natural comedian, he probably was without a peer. Lack of education, however, prevented the raw material from being developed to any very great degree. His failure to obtain an education was probably due to the fact that he attended school in an age when "lickin' and larnin'" went together, and being naturally of a disposition to "keep things movin'," it is more than probable that he acquired more of the former and less of the latter.

Be that as it may, we are certain that "Bill" did not "dig in the earth and bury the one talent," but with the handicaps under which he was placed, pushed forward and "gained other talents," thus saving his physical structure from being wrecked through the medium of an ax, cross-cut saw, and all other implements of torture. To say that he was lazy, would be using a harsh term, and if the writer ever had made such a statement, he gladly would atone for it by using Irving's words on Rip Van Winkle—"The great error in Rip's composition was an insuperable aversion to all kinds of profitable labor."

It never has been our disposition to compare "Bill" with the man who inherited a dollar from his father's estate and requested the executor to put the money in his pocket, nor the case of Bill Jones who ordered the pallbearers to "lower the coffin" and allowed himself to be buried alive rather than accept a bushel of corn that was not shelled.

The high-water mark in "Bill's" career came in 1863 when the Bananberg Circus visited Dayton. Their only clown was stricken while trying to pay off the national debt in a way which is now prohibited by the Eighteenth Amendment, and "Bill" was substituted to play the part. "The Dayton Daily Empire" gave the following account:

"The substitution of Bill Champion, of near Centerville, to do a clown costume in the circus here yesterday after their only clown-maker had suffered a temporary stroke of paralysis while endeavoring to pay more than his share of the revenue, came as a God-send to show-goers who were highly elated over the masterful performance of the new clown. "Bill's" appearance in the ring bedecked with all that goes to make up a clown outfit, was the signal for spontaneous outbreak, the like of which has seldom been heard since the days of Patrick Henry. He was in many respites the counterpart of a real clown, his actions at times being such as were calculated to make the two Kings of Clowndom, Don Rice and Grammaire look like a pair of counterfeit nickels half spent."

Our earliest recollection of a show (except the pin shows conducted in the wash-room of the old hotel when such stars as George Dinger, Frank Hale, Arthur Austin and George Miller graced the space back of the footlights) was on a day in the early '80s when Bill's advance agent hit town and began to paper the woodsheds and smokehouses with large, flashy show bills.

The cup of joy that filled every youngster's heart overflowed when the long-looked-for day arrived, and "Bill" parked his horse spring wagon in front of the "Big Brindell and invited the boys to help transfer its contents to the interior of the Opera House. As for the visitor, he was simply "caught up into the third heaven."

The unloading of Ringling Brothers' circus at the Union design in Dayton in later years was a trifling circumstance compared with the thrills experienced that day.

And the show which followed exceeded our fondest dreams. "Punch and Judy" were executed with an efficiency second to none, and "Peter Haunts" kept the crowd spellbound for more than an hour. The closing number was a magic lantern picture—a peaceful country scene on the farms of John Bigger, showing the residence and outbuildings, with droves of livestock and coveys of fowls doaming and feyding over the green fields and along the still waters.

Many more things of an interesting character might be told of our hero, but one outstanding feature will suffice. Probably the greatest mistake in "Bill's" life was when his mind turned in the direction of journalism, and he "dared to beard the lion in his den." It was during the balmy days of "The Bellbrook Moon" when "Bill" discovered the wicked things that were being said in that paper in connection with the death of a young man of the village.

Morgan Fudge, the editor, had published an article stating that the death of the young man was due more to starvation than any other cause, and in the most severe tones of which he was capable denounced without reservation those whom he held responsible for the young man's death. "Bill's" tender heart was touched by the ones whom he believed to be good people, and who had been made the principals in a neighborhood scandal. We are not in a position to produce "Bill's" article which was a demise of all that had been said and a few hot shots at the editor, "Poor Bill!" he had known Fudge, he never would have adopted journalism as a profession, much less to have locked horns with him in such a tilt.

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Anti-Soviet Speaker Rescued From Pekin Mob; 14 Injured



China's political situation looms more grave than ever following the recent Soviet demonstration in Pekin when 14 men were injured and Cheng Hsiu-Ching, speaker at an anti-Soviet meeting, was rescued from a mob of "Red" sympathizers who marched on the National University there, where he was speaking. Photo shows the speaker, blood be-spattered, being assisted away.

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SECOND SUIT FILED AGAINST RAILROAD ON SAME ACCIDENT

Suit for \$250 damages filed in Common Pleas Court by Ray Conner against the Pennsylvania Railroad Co., is the second damage action preferred against the company as a result of a railroad crossing accident at Roxanna, February 13, 1925, in which Russell Conner lost his life when his auto was hit by a train.

James Conner, as administrator of the estate of Russell Conner, deceased, was recently awarded \$2,800 damages against the company, the full amount asked.

Ray Conner is a brother of the decedent. He asks damages, alleging the automobile in which his brother was riding was owned by him and was demolished in the collision. A fair market value on the machine would be \$250, he claims.

Petition contains similar allegations of the first suit, charging the company with negligence and carelessness, F. L. Johnson and C. L. Darlington are attorneys for the plaintiff.

property is asked. H. S. LeSourd is attorney for the plaintiff.

GIVEN DIVORCE

Samuel F. Mercia has been granted a divorce from Eliza M. Mercia in Common Pleas Court on grounds of gross neglect of duty.

TOO FAT? TOO THIN?

J. J. Toedt, Director of Physical Education, Wilson Ave. Dept. Y. M. C. A., Chicago.

XXII. THE SIT UP BODY BEND

This exercise should be started easily as should yesterday's, and gradually increased as the body becomes accustomed to it.

Position: Lying on back, arms bent, with closed hands resting near shoulders.

Exercise: Raise body to sitting position.

SUES ON ACCOUNT

The Pure Oil Co. has brought suit against E. J. Carlisle in Common Pleas Court for \$269.68, alleged due on an account, Marcus Shop is attorney for the plaintiff.

FORECLOSURE SOUGHT

A. Ables and Anna Bell Ables are made defendants in a suit filed in Common Pleas Court by The Home Building and Savings Co., for \$1,709.64, alleged due in principal and interest on two obligations.

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Adkins, Texas.—"Before my baby came I was so weak I had to stay in bed most of the time until I began taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. My mother-in-law, who is a midwife, told me it was all foolishness for me to stay in bed. She told me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and it would help me. She handed me one of your little books and I read it and was interested in it. I went to a drug store that night and got a bottle of your wonderful medicine. I took it until the baby was born and was able to be up and do my work. Baby is 4½ months old now and weighs 14 pounds. I have plenty of milk for her and she gains steadily. I recommend it. I am willing to answer letters and will do anything I can for any woman, for I know how I suffered."—Mrs. A. H. Tschirhart, R. No. 2, Box 39, Adkins, Texas.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been in use by women for over fifty years. It is a vegetable tonic made from roots and herbs and is sold by all druggists.

position without raising heels from floor.

The position is the same as that for the Double Leg Raise, except for the hands, which are placed, closed, near the shoulders. If you need the help of the arms in raising the body from the floor, use them by reaching forward toward the toes, but try to keep them as near the shoulders as possible. The closer they are while you succeed in sitting up without raising your heels, the better the control of the abdominal muscles.

Tomorrow The Spread will be your first four-count exercise.

MRS. ALIA G. YEO DIES HERE FRIDAY

Mrs. Alia G. Yeo, 75, widow of Joshua Yeo, died at her home, 223 Bellbrook Ave., Friday afternoon at 2:40 o'clock from heart trouble after an illness of three weeks. She had been in poor health since last September.

She was born in Fayette County the daughter of Webster and Martha Chambliss and married Joshua Yeo August 8, 1881. He preceded her in death sixteen years.

Mrs. Yeo was a member of the First Methodist Episcopal Church and the Women's Relief Corps.

Surviving are three step-daughters, Mrs. Ralph Marshall, this city, who had taken care of her for several years when her eyesight failed; Mrs. Charles Stull, of near Morrow, O., and Mrs. Carl Hamilton, Dayton, O. She was also the last member of her immediate family.

Funeral services will be held at the residence Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock with interment in Woodland Cemetery.

at 731 Hill St., with dimensions 12 feet by 26 feet.

James Tate intends to have some re-roofing work done at 199 Dayton Ave.

Arthur Pope will re-roof and repair at 1015 W. Second St.

E. H. Hunt will build an addition to the broom factory on Dayton Ave.

Samuel Fisher will construct a six-room residence at 2 Sheridan Drive.

M. A. Smith will erect a garage, dimensions 14 feet by 20 feet at 412 N. Detroit St.

J. A. Hornick will build a garage at 124 E. Main St. Dimensions 20 feet by 20 feet.

R. D. Cook will do re-modeling work and build an addition at 37-39 E. Main St.

Dennis Tilford intends to construct a five-room residence and coal house at 37 Orchard St.

Henry Hill will re-roof, changing the style of the roofing, at 131 Trumbull St.

On The Air From Cincinnati

- STATION WSAI
- 6:40—Children's story.
- 7:00—Chime concert.
- 7:15—Sextet.
- 8:30—News review.
- 8:45—Music program.
- 12—Freda Sanker's orchestra.
- STATION WLW
- 7:00—Organist.
- 8:00—Band.
- 8:30—Radio, "A Step on the Stairs."
- 9:00—Orchestra.
- STATION WKRC
- 10:00—Orchestra.
- 10:15—Popular songs.
- 10:30—Orchestra.
- 11:00—Mouth harp and guitar.
- 11:30—Orchestra.

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MAN once called me a synthetic vamp.

"That means you're made by man—artificially transformed into a siren," he explained. "You were meant to be a nice little wife with a devoted husband and a large white dog."

And I, instead here you are, rushing about and devastating the land, making every man who sees you fall in love with you, asking no quarter and giving none."

Well, he was right. Ever since I was seventeen my motto has been, "Get Your Man," and the Canadian mounted police were never much more successful than I. He was right about my not being meant for a siren, too. It was my mother, whom I call Virginia, who made me one.

When I was born she gave me one glance and said, "Thank Heaven she's a blonde!" The nurses protested that nobody could tell what so young an infant was going to look like, but Virginia insisted, and she was right. I think she began planning her campaign right then, the campaign that was to give her and me all the things Dad couldn't give us, because he hadn't the money or social position.

Competition was pretty keen as I grew older. I went with the daughters of the best people in town, and when Virginia sent me to a fashionable boarding school she warned me that I must be careful about the girls I associated with.

"Pick out the ones who have fame and money, not just the most popular ones," she told me. "There may be a very unattractive girl who has an eligible brother or cousin; if you're nice to her she'll appreciate it. Just be careful."

I hated advice like that, and determined that I wouldn't act on it. Virginia didn't know about my first trip to West Point, when I was seventeen, my last year at school. It was just after my Easter vacation, when I had gone home, and found her and Daddy having an argument. One evening I came downstairs, ready to start for a party. The people I was going with were waiting for me, and Virginia was standing in the doorway, looking at them. She made a stunning picture.

Hearing me, she whirled around. "Come out into the sun parlor with me," she commanded, and when we had reached it and closed the door, she turned on me almost angrily. "We've got to fend for ourselves," she said. "And we'll do it! I can give you everything for a year, but that's all—before the end of the year you've got to get married, and well married, too. Or we go to the poorhouse. Your father's going to go off to that hunting lodge of his in Carolina, and I'm going to get a divorce."

Dad and I had never known each other very well—he always made me uncomfortable with his queer, wistful smile and his eyes that seemed to see right through me. I knew that he'd been so disappointed because I wasn't a boy that he'd never cared much for me.

I went back to school, and three

days later I went to a hop at West Point. The man who was to take me—"drag me," in West Point slang—was ill, and another man substituted for him. That other man was Jim Larrabee.

He looked down at me as we were introduced, and smiled. That smile sent shivers straight through me. That night at the hop he tore up my program, and we spent the evening dancing up and down moonlit flirtation, which I believe is one of the most beautiful walks in the world.

The next day he came directly to me after parade, and we spent the afternoon together. When I went back to school Sunday night I was his close ring on a ribbon around my neck—it was so big and heavy that I couldn't wear it on my hand. We were engaged.

Virginia was wild. I had thought she'd be pleased. Jim had told me how we'd live, how the government would give us our house whenever we were stationed, and most of our furniture, and he said Virginia could live with us. I thought she'd like the prospect of gay army life. She simply raved.

"Army officers never have any money—you'll be old and dowdy before your time—I won't have it!"



Virginia was standing in the doorway.

Send me your ring back. I'll hear no more of this nonsense!"

Now, Jim was a fighting Irishman. He was first captain at the Point, and awfully popular with everybody. He had the reputation of being an awful heart smasher—you know how it always is with these big, rather homely, fascinating men—nobody can resist them. Virginia was the only person I ever knew who could resist Jim.

I stole away and went to his commencement. Immediately after the exercises he and I slipped away to the wonderful big chapel on the hill and were married.

I adored him, and I thought he adored me.

Yet within six months he had gone off to the Philippines, alone, and I was well on the way to becoming "a synthetic siren"—once, and he'd almost broken my heart.

I was ready to listen to Virginia's advice and follow it.

"Don't ever believe any man," she said, and I believed her.

Tomorrow—A Critical Moment.

Unkissed



MRS. ELEANOR NORRIS

Mrs. Eleanor Norris, twenty-six, of Chicago, asking a divorce, admitted her husband, Clinton Norris, forty-six, lavished money upon her, but declared he seldom kissed her.

GAS BUGGIES—Hem Gets Homesick

GRACIOUS! BUT YOU CERTAINLY HAVE CHANGED THOSE HEIRLOOMS BACK INTO ANTIQUES—LOOKS LIKE I'LL GET A CHANCE TO RECOVER SOME OF THE MONEY IT COST TO JOY-RIDE 'EM 'ROUND THE LAST FEW YEARS—

THEY LOOK MORE LIKE ANTIQUES NOW THAN THEY DID BEFORE I TRIED TO SHINE 'EM UP—THIS STUFF WILL GIVE YOU A BIG REP AS AN ANTIQUE DEALER—YOU'LL HAVE THE SUCKERS STANDING IN LINE—



SAY! WHERE ARE YOU GOING TO SELL THIS STUFF? YOU OUGHT TO HAVE A NIFTY LITTLE SHOP FOR THIS SORT OF CRIME—

I CAN'T AFFORD IT—THE RENT ON THIS STUDIO IS ENOUGH—I'LL HAVE TO SELL THEM HERE, I'M AFRAID—

MAKIN' CHAIRS LOOK OLD AND WORN-OUT IS PIE FO' YO—YUH BIG LOAFER—YOU DON'T NEED NO SPURS—



WELL! LET'S GO INTO PARTNERSHIP—I'LL PUT UP THE DOUGH, AND WE'LL OPEN UP A REGULAR PLACE—?

NO-O-O-O—I THINK I'D BETTER GO IT ALONE HERE, THANK YOU—

HEAH'S A TELEGRAM, MISS AMY—



IT'S FROM THE PEOPLE WHO OWN THIS STUDIO—THEY'RE COMING HOME AT ONCE AND WANT THE PLACE BACK—

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